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Dear bidder:

All human history can be read as a struggle by the world's people to find a free, safe and secure homeland. The Shoshana Collection tells a crucial part of that story for the Jewish people and their neighbors through the coins that were created and circulated in the Holy Land between circa 500 BC and the Arab conquests of the 7th century AD. It is perhaps the most compelling story ever told through numismatics.

Coins are much more than small bits of metal. Money is elemental to the human experience. The coins in the Shoshana Collection have passed through the hands of countless merchants and shepherds, beggars and soldiers, priestesses, potentates and rebels living in an immensely important region during one of the most significant epochs in recorded history. The designs stamped into coins provide a unique insight into the everyday lives, artistic vision and religious practices of the people that created them. Since the Holy Land is holy to three of the world's present-day Great Religions, the story they tell has resonated up from all corners of the world, twenty-five centuries through the present day.

The Shoshana Collection was painstakingly assembled over a four-decade span by a remarkable Californian who's love of his heritage and dedication to its preservation become readily apparent as you turn the pages of this catalog. The Collector also benefited from his close association and consultation with a great numismatist, Dr. Paul Ryneanson, whose instrumental work as curator of the Shoshana Collection deserves recognition and gratitude. Thanks to Paul and his connections, the Collector had access to numerous singular coins and entire collections of immense rarity and importance at the precise time they became available on the market. This, combined with the resources to enable acquisition of such rarities, manifests in a unique convergence of dedication, connoisseurship and timing unlikely to ever be repeated.

Through the Collector's academic connections, portions of this amazing collection have been made available for study by some of the same scholars at the University of Southern California who recorded the Dead Sea Scrolls, and have provided crucial insights into our understanding of this formative era. Many of its coins are either unique or known only through a small handful of specimens; being able to handle and closely examine such treasures can be a once-in-a-lifetime experience for many historians.

Now that the Shoshana Collection is being brought to market in the time-honored way of numismatics, we firmly believe it will take its place amongst the pantheon of the greatest coin collections ever to reach auction, including those of Jenkins, Jameson, Pozzi, Lockett, Garrett, Gillet, Eliasberg, Pittman, and Goodman. This catalog will undoubtedly be used as an important reference work in Biblical numismatics for decades and even centuries to come.

We will leave to David Hendin and Herb Kreindler, the two foremost living numismatists in the Judaeian field, to extol the many highlights of this outstanding collection. We will only say unequivocally that working closely with the Collector, David, and Herb on this project has been an incredible opportunity and the high point in our careers in numismatics.

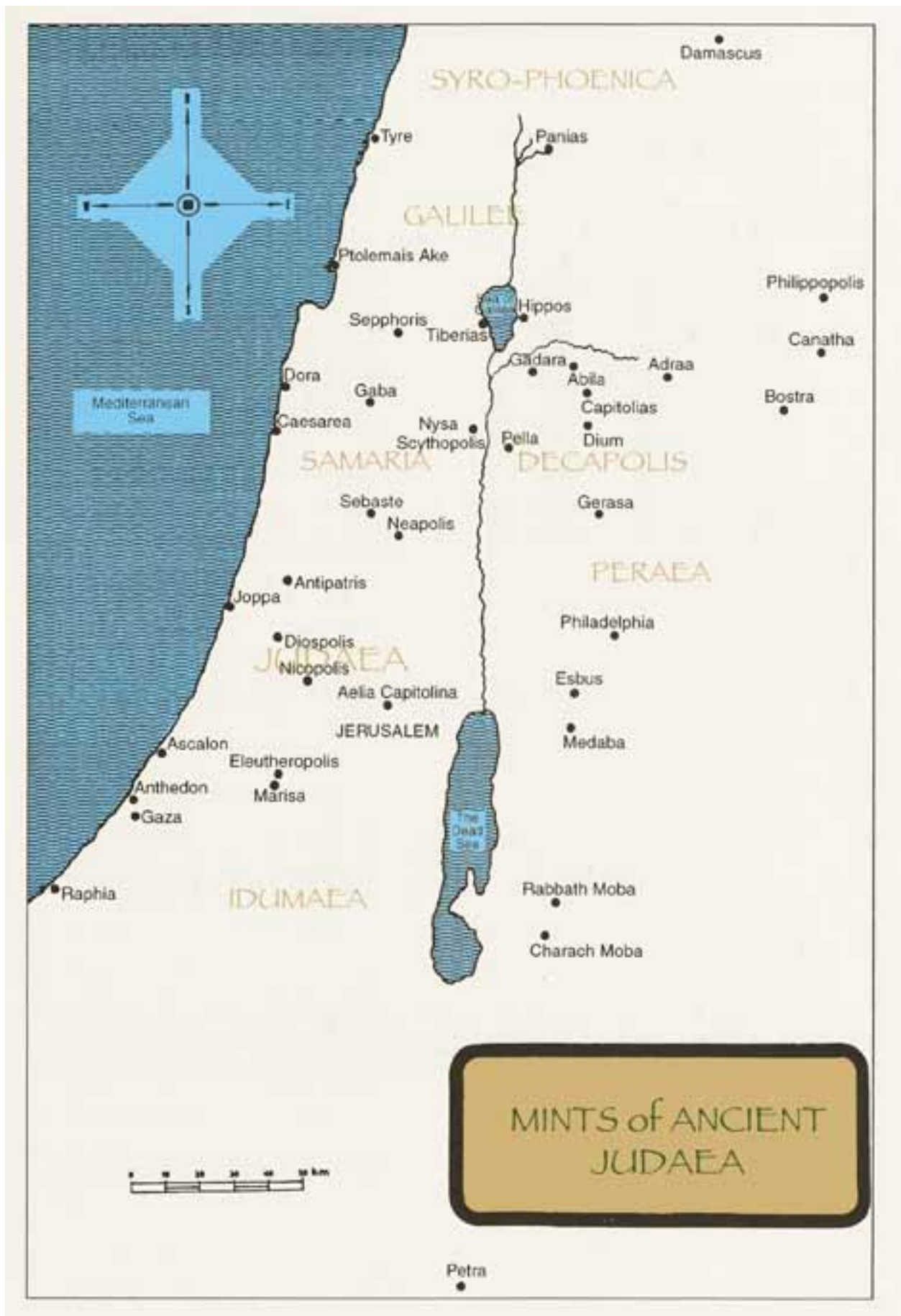
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Cris Bierrenbach  
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# Catalogers' Comments

It has been a great pleasure for the two of us to research and write the catalog for Heritage's Auction of the Shoshana Collection.

Between us we have a combined experience of nearly 90 years of studying ancient Jewish coins, and we have both have had the enormous benefit of having giants in the field, such as Ya'akov Meshorer and Leo Mildenberg, as our mentors. We have no doubt that this is the greatest collection of Judaeon coins ever offered at auction, exceeding the remarkable collection of Abraham Bromberg, which was sold in two parts in the early 1990s

Over the past four-plus decades we have seen many of the coins of the Shoshana collection pass through the marketplace, often with great excitement attached to them. Many of these coins have been transferred from collection to collection over the passage of time. Now it is time for new caretakers to take custody of these remarkable artifacts of the ancient Holy Land and its inhabitants.

Indeed, the Shoshana Collection includes many coins from Bromberg's collection as well as many other fascinating coins of ancient Israel, carefully selected and acquired for their quality and rarity.

The Shoshana Collection is strongest and deepest in its series of coins from the Jewish War against Rome of AD 66 to 70 and the Bar Kokhba Revolt of AD 132-135. The Collector who assembled Shoshana acquired lovely examples of almost every single rarity from the two Jewish Wars, including the remarkable prototype year one (66/67 AD) shekel and also the year one silver quarter-shekel. In both instances, each coin is one of only two known specimens. The second example of the prototype shekel resides in the Israel Museum, Jerusalem and the location of the second year one quarter-shekel (which was apparently pierced and repaired) is not known.

Other highlights include:

- A remarkable group of Judaea Capta issues that were struck by the Flavian emperors to commemorate and promote their victory over Judaea.
- A superb collection of Persian Period coins including rare and beautiful examples from Gaza, Ashkelon, Ashdod, and Philistia in general, along with an impressive grouping of Samaritan and Yehud coins.
- An especially strong group of Herodian coins including many rarities struck under Herod Antipas, Herod Philip, Herod of Chalcis, Agrippa I, and Agrippa II.
- Finally, Shoshana contains an important group of city coins, which are both interesting and, in many cases, extremely rare.

*Readers should note that MANY of the Shoshana coins are cited and/or photographed in one or more major reference works. When one coin is cited in so many references, it means that the coin may have been one of the original "discovery" coins or that it is an unusually excellent example for illustration purposes. In the case of Shoshana coins, both often happen to be true.*

Finally we note that coins designated as "Unique" mean that there are no other examples known to the catalogers or shown in major references with which we are familiar. Although there are a number of "unique" coins known to exist from the ancient world, the nature of the process of manufacturing coins suggests that "unique" coins were probably not made, only that to date just a single example of a coin has survived or has been identified.

We have attempted to make this catalog as useful a reference tool as possible. Toward that end we have translated into English both the Hebrew but also most of the Greek inscriptions (excepting, in most cases, obverses which invariably state the name and titles of the emperor or one of his family members). We have not translated Latin inscriptions in most instances, since their meanings are usually quite clear. Numismatic and archaeological works will vary between use of the BC/AD or the BCE/CE designations. In this case we have used the former in order to maintain continuity with previous Heritage Auctions catalogs.

David Hendin and Herbert Kreindler  
January 2012

## SESSION ONE

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### Persian Period

The first coins were struck in the seventh century BC in Western Asia Minor. Coins apparently came to ancient Israel early in the fifth century BC, and one of the very few archaic Greek coins ever found there was a coin from Cos, dated to around 550-500 BC.

The first coins struck in the ancient Holy Land are known as "Philistian" and were probably minted in Gaza in the mid to late fourth century BC. Philistia is the portion of southwestern ancient Israel that was occupied by the Philistines in the Old Testament period. Philistian coins were struck in the names of Gaza, Ascalon and Ashdod, both important coastal cities. This early local coinage of the Holy Land has traditionally been classified according to Greek denominations, especially the smaller denominations such as drachms, obols, and hemi-obols. Israeli scholar Oren Tal has pointed out, however, that the coins minted in this area were undoubtedly referred to in local terms, even though their designs were often patterned after coins of Athens or other trading cities. We follow Tal and suggest that the "drachms" are in fact quarter-shekels and the "obols" were likely known as ma'ahs which we refer to as ma'ah-obols or their fractions.

Test cuts frequently appear on the quarter-shekels of Philistia, and less frequently on the shekels or smaller denominations. These were made by a chisel in order to determine whether a coin was pure silver or only silver over a copper core. These plated coins were often struck at official mints, but at other times may have been nefarious issues.

Gaza was probably the location of a principal mint that may well have issued the rare coins of both Ascalon and Ashdod. There is further evidence that the earliest coins of Yehud were also struck at Gaza prior to the establishment of a mint for the small silver denominations in or near Jerusalem.

The coins of Samaria (also known as Shomron) were not known to exist prior to the 1970s and they were first published in the early 1980s. In 1999 Meshorer and Qedar published a book identifying 224 Samaritan coin types. Since that time a number of additional types have been added.

Yehud coins, named for the Persian province of Yehud for which they were manufactured, were struck extensively in the late Persian and Hellenistic periods.

Steve Gerson who is both a scholar of Persian Period coins as well as a Harvard psychiatrist, has analyzed the Yehud and Samaritan coins and concludes that they can "project information about the characteristics of peoples that produced them, as well as the particular spirit" of an epoch. In summary Gerson says that these fascinating coins suggest "the sensibility and vision of Judaea was more 'inward,' interior, and conservative while that of Samaria was to look 'outward' during this period." —dh





- 20001 North Arabia (Ca. 445-410 BC). AR shekel (26mm, 16.64 gm, 3h).** Helmeted head of Athena to r. / AΘE (Athens) to r. of Owl standing r., head facing, olive spray and crescent in upper l. field, countermark 𐤁 (B), identification uncertain, all within incuse square. Extremely rare. Huth p. 232 & note. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$10,000



- 20002 North Arabia (350-220 BC). AR quarter-drachm (15mm, 3.91 gm, 9h).** Head of Athena, frontal eye and earring, to r. in front of head is 𐤕 (ayan ?) / 𐤌𐤓𐤁𐤁 (retrograde Aramaic for m'rb or m'db); incuse owl standing r., uncertain sign or object behind. Huth 35. Extremely rare. Very Fine.

*The reading of this legend is tentative, although the attribution of this rare coin to Idumaea or the Kingdom of Lihyan (Dedan / Al-Ula) per Huth is likely correct.*  
Estimate: \$6,000



- 20003 Philistia (5-4 centuries BC). AR half ma'ah-obol (8mm, 0.35 gm, 3h).** Helmeted head of Athena to r. / AΘE (Athens) to r. of Owl standing r., head facing, olive spray in upper l. field, all within incuse square. Gitler-Tal VII.3HO. Very Fine. Estimate: \$250

## First Appearance of Jerusalem Lily?



- 20004 Philistia (for Jerusalem [Judah]?) (5-4 centuries BC). AR quarter-shekel (14mm, 4.18 gm, 3h).** Helmeted head of Athena to r. / AΘE downward on r.; owl r. head facing, olive spray and crescent upper l., lily or possibly lotus between the Greek legend and the owl, all within incuse square. Gitler-Tal XII.13D. Svornos-Pick pl. 109,36. Mildenberg 2000c pl. 58, 58. Samuels 34 (this coin, also enlarged on page 6). SNG ANS 6 pl. 1,27 (obol). This is the best known specimen. Extremely Fine.

*The cataloguers believe that the argument for a connection of this type to Jerusalem is convincing based upon the use of the lily symbol, although Gitler-Tal suggest it might also be a lotus flower. Spaer and Meshorer have catalogued this type with the Yehud coinage; the earliest Yehud coinage was apparently struck for Jerusalem at the Philistia mint (this phenomenon discussed by Gitler 2012).*

Estimate: \$25,000



- 20005 Philistia (for Jerusalem [Judah]?) (5-4 centuries BC). AR half-ma'ah obol (7mm, 0.33 gm, 6h).** Helmeted head of Athena to r. / AΘE downward on r.; owl r. head facing, olive spray and crescent upper l., lily or possibly lotus between the Greek legend and the owl, all within incuse square. Gitler-Tal XII.13HO (this coin). SNG ANS 6,27 (obol). Hendin 1023 (obol). Very rare. About Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$2,000



- 20006 Philistia (5-4 centuries BC). AR quarter-shekel (15mm, 3.41 gm, 12h).** Bearded male head l. with oriental hairstyle, bunched hair in back / Ϻ (retrograde Y) to l. and AΘE (Athens) to r. of owl standing r., head facing, olive spray and crescent in upper l. field, all within incuse square. Gitler-Tal XIV.16Db (this coin). Mildenberg 2000c pl. 55,25. Extremely Rare. Very Fine.

*Attributed by A. Kindler to Ashdod (1995 pl. A, 4).*

Estimate: \$4,500



- 20007 Philistia (5-4 centuries BC). AR quarter-shekel (13mm, 3.15 gm, 6h).** Hybrid head with male facing r. and the back of his head evolves into a boar or hog facing l. / AΘE (Athens) to r. of Owl standing r., head facing, olive spray and crescent in upper l. field, all within incuse square. Gitler-Tal XIV.21.Da (this coin). Samuels 10 (this coin). Mildenberg 1997 pl. 2,40. Mildenberg 1990b pl. XXIII,2 (this coin). Gitler 2000, pl 2,8 (this coin). Extremely rare. Light crystallization, find patina. Very Fine  
Estimate: \$6,000

Elusive motif



- 20008 Philistia (5-4 centuries BC). AR quarter-shekel (13mm, 3.44 gm, 6h).** Male head facing with female head r., with headdress. A more careful look will show that the headdress is a fierce, recumbent lion with head turned back, and between the two heads, facing right, an additional nose and mouth form a third additional profile to r. / Helmeted head of Athena to right, with linear devices or monograms possibly appearing in some or all corners, all in incuse square. Gitler-Tal XIV.35Db (this coin). Samuels 9 (this coin). Hendin 1017. Mildeberg 1997 pl. 13, 52. Mildeberg 2000c p. 159.90. Extremely rare. Test cut on obverse. Light crystallization. Very Fine.

*Another exquisite example of the elusive motifs on Philistian coins.*  
Estimate: \$10,000



- 20009 Philistia (5-4 centuries BC). AR ma'ah-obol (10mm, 0.51 gm, 4h).** Triple turreted city wall with crouching lion and waves in forefield, circular border of dots / Male figure stands r. in front of horse and holding him by reigns with l. hand and whip in r. hand, border of dots, within incuse square. Gitler-Tal XV.3O. Very rare. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$2,000



- 20010 Philistia (5-4 centuries BC). AR eighth-shekel (13mm, 1.98 gm, 13h).** Confronted bearded heads, oriental hairstyles / Head of youth with curled hair r., dotted border, all in incuse. Gitler-Tal XVI 17HDa (this coin). Test cut on reverse. Fine.  
Estimate: \$650



- 20011 Philistia (5-4 centuries BC). AR ma'ah-obol (9mm, 0.59 gm, 9h).** Bearded male head r. oriental hairstyle / Female head r., oriental headdress within incuse. Gitler-Tal XVI.110a (this coin). Mildeberg 1990a pl. 7, 6. Extremely rare. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$2,500



- 20012 Philistia (5-4 centuries BC). AR quarter-shekel (14mm, 3.43 gm, 4h).** Bearded male head r. with oriental hairstyle, bunched in back / [U+4] (Y, N or V, A, H), their meanings unknown, in corners around Paradise flower or Phoenician palmette. Gitler-Tal XVII 5D. Extremely rare. Light crystallization. Very Fine.

*This is the second recorded specimen from these dies, and dramatically better preserved than the one illustrated by Gitler-Tal. Upon examination of a coin from similar dies with a clear letter  $\gamma$  (Y) in the upper right, Hendin suggested in 1996 that this might belong to the Yehud series (Hendin 3, 435), but discovery of similar coins with full inscriptions later proved this theory incorrect.*  
Estimate: \$6,000





- 20013 Philistia (5-4 centuries BC). AR quarter ma'ah-obol (6mm, 0.15 gm, 12h).** Head of lion l. with protruding tongue / Bes head facing within incuse. Gitler-Tal XVIII.6HOb (this coin). Mildenberg 1995 pl. 1,9 (this coin). Mild 2000b pl. 11,49 (this coin). Good Very Fine/Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,250



- 20014 Philistia (5-4 centuries BC). AR ma'ah-obol (9mm, 0.58 gm, 6h).** 𐤁 (B) above antithetic standing horses framing side-by-side Bes heads facing, circular guilloche border / Hybrid male head r. and bearded male head facing, oriental hairstyle, guilloche border within incuse. Gitler-Tal XVIII.8O. Mildenberg 2000c pl. 59,69. Mild. Vestigia p. XXXI,4 (this coin). Samuels 20 (this coin). Extremely rare. Very Fine/Extremely Fine.

*Both specimens cited by Gitler-Tal are missing the "bet" in upper obverse field, which is very clear on this example.*  
Estimate: \$4,500



- 20015 Philistia (5-4 centuries BC). AR quarter-shekel (17mm, 3.93 gm, 12h).** Bearded male head l. with oriental hairstyle and crest / Lion walks r. lily behind, border of dots in incuse square. Gitler-Tal XIX.18D (this coin). Samuels 5 (this coin). Mildenberg 2000c pl. 58,79 (this coin). Unique. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$8,000



- 20016 Philistia (5-4 centuries BC). AR quarter-shekel (14.5mm, 3.39 gm, 9h).** Janiform heads, bearded male r. and female l. with oriental hairstyle, dotted border / Hoplite l. fights prancing lion r, border of dots, all in incuse square. Gitler-Tal XIX.19 Dc (this coin). Mildenberg 2000c (this coin). Extremely rare. Reverse test cut. Very Fine.

*One of three known examples.*  
Estimate: \$6,000



- 20017 Philistia (5-4 centuries BC). AR half-ma'ah-obol (9mm, 0.32 gm, 1h).** Bes head facing with bar above, guilloche border / Bes head facing with bar above in dotted square, all in incuse. Mildenberg Vestigia pl. XXXI,2 (this coin). Dark gray find patina. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,500



Finest of Six Known



**20018** Gaza (Ca. 445-410 BC). AR quarter-shekel (14mm, 3.89 gm, 6h). Bearded male head r. with oriental hairstyle, bunched in back /  $\text{𐤀𐤆𐤌}$  (Aza) to r. of Owl standing r., head facing, olive spray in upper l. field, all within dotted square border and incuse square. Gitler-Tal V.1D. Samuels 3 (this coin). Mild 1990a, pl. 5,33. Extremely rare. Crystallized. Extremely Fine.

*This is the best centered and struck example of six published specimens.*

Estimate: \$35,000



**20019** Gaza (5-4 centuries BC). AR ma'ah obol (8mm, 0.53 gm, 6h). Bearded male head r. with oriental hairstyle, bunched in back / Owl r., head facing, with a single, large, round eye, olive spray behind, guilloche border. G-T V.10. Svornos 1923-6 pl. 110,29. Extremely Rare. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,200



**20020** Gaza (Ca. 445-410 BC). AR quarter-shekel (15mm, 3.88 gm, 12h). Janiform female head r. and bearded male l. with oriental hairstyle /  $\text{𐤀𐤆𐤌}$  (retrograde A Z for "Aza" or "Gaza"); Owl stands facing, wings closed, between olive sprays, circular border of dots. Gitler-Tal V.6D. Mild. 1990a, pl. 15,28. Extremely rare. Find patina. About Very Fine/Very Fine.

*This is the only known existing specimen of this type without a test cut.*

Estimate: \$9,500



**20021** Gaza (5-4 centuries BC). AR ma'ah obol (8mm, 0.49 gm, 6h). Janiform female head l. bearded male head r., oriental hairstyle /  $\text{𐤀𐤆𐤌}$  (A Z for Aza) in lower fields flank owl facing, wings closed, between olive sprays, circle of dots. Gitler-Tal V.60. Mild. 1990a pl. 5,29. Find patina. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,500

Unique Countermark



- 20022** Gaza (Ca. 445-410 BC). AR shekel (27mm, 17.12 gm, 9h). Helmeted head of Athena to r. /  $\circ\text{S}$  (retrograde AZ for "Aza") in a circular countermark to l. of AΘE (Athens), all to r. of Owl standing r., head facing, olive spray and crescent in upper l. field, all within incuse square. Gitler-Tal V. 7T (this coin). Samuels 1 (this coin). Mildeberg 1997 pl. 1,2 (this coin). Mildeberg 2000c pl. 57,37 (this coin). Elayi and LeMaire pl 24,171 (this coin). Apparently unique. Good Very Fine.

*This is the only published coin with the  $\circ\text{S}$  countermark. Gitler-Tal (118) suggest the possibility that this countermark represents control letters, although they currently accept the attribution to Gaza based on differences with other countermarked specimens.*

Estimate: \$12,500



- 20023** Gaza (5-4 centuries BC). AR ma'ah obol (8mm, 0.44 gm, 12h). Laureate bearded male head r. /  $\text{S}\circ$  (A Z for "Aza" or "Gaza") vertical on r. of falcon standing r., square border of dots within incuse square. Gitler-Tal V.8O. Mildeberg 2000c pl. 57,52. The best of four coins published. About Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$3,250



- 20024** Gaza (Ca. 445-410 BC). AR quarter-shekel (13mm, 3.17 gm, 7h). Helmeted head of Athena to r. /  $\circ$  (A for "Aza" or "Gaza") to l. and AΘE (Athens) to r. of Owl standing r., head facing, olive spray in upper l. field, all within incuse square. Gitler-Tal V. 10D (same dies). Mildeberg 1990a pl. 4,14. Rare Extremely Fine.

*The classic example of a local coin of Gaza being patterned after the ubiquitous Athenian coins of the ancient world; the copying was so precise that even the name of Athens was copied, and the local ethnic for Gaza was added.*

Estimate: \$9,000

One of Three Known



- 20025** Gaza (4th century BC). AR shekel (22 X 24mm, 16.54 gm, 9h). Helmeted head of Athena to r. /  $\chi$  (mem for "Marnas") to r. of AΘE (Athens) to r. of Owl standing r., head facing, olive spray in upper l. field, all within incuse square. Gitler-Tal V.17T (this coin). Mildeberg 1990a pl. 4,6 (this coin). Meshorer Gaza p. 78, figure 1. Extremely rare. Reverse test cut, with some obverse flattening. Good Very Fine.

*This is one of three known specimens. The great god of Gaza was called Marnas (relating to the Aramaic word Marna, "the Lord"). Marnas was the god of rain and grain and who was as such invoked against famine.*

Estimate: \$18,000



- 20026** Gaza (5-4 centuries BC). AR ma'ah obol (9mm, 0.58 gm, 9h). Helmeted head of Athena r. / AΘE downward on r.  $\chi$  (M for Marnas) to its left; owl r., head facing, olive spray and crescent upper l., all within incuse square. Gitler-Tal V.21O. Mild. 1994 pl. 1,9. SNG ANS 1,15. Hendin 1014. Good style, unusually nice for type. Extremely Fine.



- 20027** Gaza (5-4 centuries BC). AR quarter-shekel (14mm, 4.15 gm, 10h). Helmeted head of Athena to r., letter  $\chi$  on cheek / AΘE downward on r.  $\rho$  (M-Marnas) to its left; owl r. head facing, olive spray and crescent upper l., all within incuse square. Gitler-Tal V.24D. Mildeberg 1990a. pl. 4, 8 (this coin). Extremely rare. Extremely Fine.

Estimate: \$10,000



- 20028** Gaza (Ca. 445-410 BC). AR quarter-shekel (14mm, 3.97 gm, 7h). Bearded male head r. with oriental hairstyle, bunched in back /  $\alpha\zeta$  (retrograde A Z for "Aza" or "Gaza"); Forepart of horse, forelocks tied with ribbon, dotted square border within incuse square. Gitler-Tal VI.1. BMC Palestine pl. XIX, 14. Traite pl. CXXIV,14-15. Hendin 1012. Rare. Few light marks on reverse. About Extremely Fine.

*Among the best preserved specimens of this type.*

Estimate: \$9,000





- 20029 Gaza (5-4 centuries BC). AR ma'ah obol (9mm, 0.72 gm, 12h).** Female head r. with oriental hairstyle, hair bunched behind /  $\text{𐤅𐤌}$  (A Z for "Aza" or "Gaza") above forepart of horse r., dotted square border within incuse square. Gitler-Tal VI.2.O. Rare. Very Fine plus.

*This coin is overstruck on an earlier obol of undetermined origin; the profile of a bust l. can be seen facing 9 o'clock on the reverse. The cataloguers have not previously seen an overstruck coin in this series.*

Estimate: \$1,800



- 20030 Gaza (Ca. 445-410 BC). AR ma'ah-obol (9mm, 0.57 gm, 9h).** Bearded Forepart of lion r. /  $\text{𐤅𐤌}$  (A Z for "Aza" or "Gaza") above forepart of horse running r. all in square dotted frame within incuse square. Gitler-Tal VI.10a (this coin). BMC Palestine p. 179, 16. Sofaer pl. 109,12. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,200



- 20031 Gaza (5-4 centuries BC). AR ma'ah obol (9mm, 0.65 gm, 6h).** Forepart of lion, forepaws stretched r., dotted border /  $\text{𐤅𐤌}$  (A Z for "Aza" or "Gaza") above forepart of horse, legs stretched r., dotted square border within incuse square. Gitler-Tal VI.11O. BMC Palestine p. 179,16. Mild. 1990a pl.5, 2c. Mild. 2000b, pl. 10, 36. Very rare. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$3,750



- 20032 Gaza (Ca. 445-410 BC). AR quarter-shekel (15mm, 3.91 gm, 5h).** Bearded male head r. with oriental hairstyle, bunched in back guilloche border /  $\text{𐤅𐤌}$  (A Z for "Aza" or "Gaza") on lower left and right of facing head of Bes. Gitler-Tal VI.13D. Samuels 4 (this coin). Traite pl CXXIV, 9. Waddington 7285. Narkiss 1938 pl 13,17. Extremely rare. Reverse test cut. Very Fine. Estimate: \$6,000



- 20033 Gaza (5-4 centuries BC). AR ma'ah-obol (8mm, 0.74 gm, 2h).** AR ma'ah-obol. Bearded male head r., oriental hairstyle, bunched in back / Facing head of Bes, on r. and l.  $\text{𐤅𐤌}$  (A Z for "Aza" or "Gaza"), dotted border, all in incuse. Gitler-Tal VI.13O. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$1,200



- 20034 Gaza (5-4 centuries BC). AR ma'ah obol (9mm, 0.59 gm, 6h).** Bearded male head r. with oriental hairstyle, hair bunched behind /  $\text{𐤅𐤌}$  (A Z for "Aza" or "Gaza") on either side of facing head of Bes in a circle of dots within incuse. Gitler-Tal VI.13.O. Mild. 2000c pl. 57,50. The best of at least six published specimens. Find patina. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$1,200



- 20035 Gaza (5-4 centuries BC). AR ma'ah obol (8mm, 0.65 gm, 12h).** Janiform head of bearded satyr r. and bearded male l. with oriental hairstyle /  $\text{𐤅𐤌}$  (A Z for "Aza" or "Gaza") in upper r. and l. fields above double protome bull bending forelegs, between them is a facing female head with hair locks on either side, guilloche border within incuse square. Gitler-Tal VI.15O. Samuels 12 (this coin). Rosenberger 16. A lovely specimen. Find patina. Very Fine. Estimate: \$4,500



- 20036 Gaza (5-4 centuries BC). AR ma'ah obol (8mm, 0.70 gm, 3h).** Janiform bearded male head with oriental hairstyle /  $\text{𐤅𐤌}$  (A Z for "Aza" or "Gaza") in above antithetic gryphons, between them is a female head facing with Hathor hairstyle. Gitler-Tal VI.16O. Samuels 11 (this coin). Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$2,000





- 20037** Gaza (5-4 centuries BC). AR ma'ah obol (9mm, 0.67 gm, 3h). Bearded male head r. with oriental hairstyle / 𐤅𐤆 (A Z for "Aza" or "Gaza") above donkey (?) walking r, dotted square border within incuse square. Gitler-Tal VI.170 (this coin). Mildenberg 2000b pl.11, 40 (this coin). Test cut reverse, otherwise about Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$900



- 20038** Gaza (5-4 centuries BC). AR ma'ah obol (9mm, 0.57 gm, 12h). Oriental female head r. border of dots / Triple turreted city walls on rampart, two palm trees between the towers and crouching lion in foreground, within incuse square. Gitler-Tal XV.20 (this coin). BMC Palestine pl. 19,22. Imoof-Blumer 1871 pl. 17,239. Extremely rare. About Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$2,500



- 20039** Gaza (Ca. 445-410 BC). AR shekel (25mm, 17.24 gm, 9h). Helmeted head of Athena to r., countermark 𐤌 (mem for Marnas) circle / AΘE (Athens) to r. of Owl standing r., head facing, olive spray and crescent in upper l. field, all within incuse square. Mildenberg Vestigia pl. XXIV,3. Mildenberg 1990a pl. 4,3. Extremely rare. Good Very Fine.

*The countermark 𐤌 was ascribed by Mildenberg to Gaza, but in this case the letter is in the style of Northwest Semitic script and raises a possible question of that attribution. See also SNG ANS pl. 1,4 which Meshorer attributed as Greco-Palestinian.*  
Estimate: \$10,000

### The Walls of Gaza



- 20040** Gaza (Ca. 445-410 BC). AR quarter-shekel (14.5mm, 4.11 gm, 12h). Oriental female head to r. wearing double necklace, within circular border of dots / City wall with three turrets, palm trees between, upon a rampart, lion reclines in foreground to r., all within incuse. Gitler-Tal XV.2Da (this coin). Samuels 7 (this coin). BMC Palestine 21, pl. xix, 21. J.P. Six, Numismatic Chronicle 1877, p. 223, 11 (2 specimens cited). Traite pl. CXVIII, 15 (attributed to Sidon). This coin is the best of six known specimens for this reverse type. Extremely rare. Good Very Fine.

*There are two obols of this type also published by J.P. Six, as well as two quarter-shekels published by Gitler-Tal. The presence of the palm trees on the reverse, as well as find-spots, favors the attribution to Gaza rather than Sidon. The reverse of this coin is enlarged at Samuels 4,7.*

Estimate: \$20,000



- 20041** Gaza (5-4 centuries BC). AR ma'ah obol (9mm, 0.76 gm, 6h). Female head facing, circle of dots / Head of Bes facing, within incuse. Mild. 1990 Vestigia pl. XXXI, 15 (this coin). Find patina. About Extremely Fine.

Estimate: \$1,200



- 20042** Gaza (5-4 centuries BC). AR ma'ah obol (10mm, 0.74 gm, 12h). Female head facing, circle of dots / Head of Bes facing, within incuse. Mild. 1990 Vestigia pl. XXXI, 15 (this coin). Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,200

### Egyptian Ankh Motif



- 20043** Ashdod (Ca. 400-333 BC). AR quarter-shekel (16mm, 3.39 gm, 6h). Head r. wearing oriental headdress, hair arranged as a ponytail and knotted at bottom; ornamented ear with earring resembling ankh, within dotted circle / 𐤀𐤏𐤃𐤃 ('Ashdod) above ibex standing r., head turned back, lily (?) bent to right behind, surrounded by cable border in incuse square. Gitler-Tal II.2 D. Samuels pl. 13 (this coin). Hendin 1002. Mesh. Ash. P. 288, 4. Mildeberg 2000c, pl. 55, 18. Extremely rare. Mottled find Patina. Very Fine.

*The presence of the ankh motif in the earring suggests an Egyptian influence.*

Estimate: \$25,000



**20044 Ashdod (Ca. 400-333 BC). AR eighth-shekel (15mm, 2.11 gm, 12h).** Confronted bearded male heads with oriental hairstyles, border of dots / Cow suckling calf, crescent and solar disk above, border of dots within incuse square. Gitler-Tal XX.6D (this coin). Samuels 15 (this coin). Mildenberg 1997 pl. 2,32 (this coin). Mildenberg 2000c pl. 59,83 (this coin). Unique. Small test cut on reverse. Very Fine.

*All published sources refer to this coin as a quarter-shekel or drachm. However, the weight of this coin, around two grams, as well as its obverse die link (Gitler-Tal XVI.17HdA), favors the attribution as an eighth-shekel or hemidrachm, an extremely rare denomination for the Philistian silver issues. Regarding the attribution here to Ashdod, see Gitler-Tal II.4D and Meshorer 1989: 288,4 for the reverse type.  
Estimate: \$15,000*

### Hidden Owl Motif



**20045 Ashdod (Ca. 400-333 BC). AR quarter-shekel (16mm, 3.76 gm, 3h).** Satyr head r. with oriental hairstyle / √N (A S for "Ashdod"); Bull, head down, preparing to charge r., owl hidden within bull's body, in the upper right field is a miniature human head with oriental hairstyle, within guilloche square border, within incuse square. Gitler-Tal II 0.D. Samuels pl. 1,14 (this coin); Mildenberg 2000c, pl. 55,22. Meshorer 1989 p. 288,4. Extremely rare. Small test cut on reverse in hair. Find patina. Extremely Fine.

*A nice example of the hidden (elusive) motifs that appears in some of the some of the Philistian coins, this phenomenon is discussed in Gitler-Tal 299-302.  
Estimate: \$20,000*



**20046 Ashdod (Ca. 400-333 BC). AR ma'ah-obol (7mm, 0.52 gm, 2h).** Hybrid head composed of male surmounted by forepart of a lion on the forehead (as headdress) to l., and monster-like figure r. Guilloche border / √N √N √N √N (Ashdod) above double protome bull with bent forelegs, dotted border, in incuse square. Gitler-Tal II.10a (this coin). Mild. 1997 pl. 2,25 (this coin). Extremely rare. Fine to Fine plus.  
Estimate: \$4,500



- 20047 Ascalon (5-4 centuries BC). AR ma'ah-obol (10mm, 0.73 gm, 3h).** Female head r. with oriental hairstyle with ponytail, border of dots / ✠ (AN for Ascalon) to lower r. of owl standing r., head facing, olive sprigs upper l. Gitler-Tal III. 90 (this coin). Mildeberg 2000c pl. 56, 35 (this coin). Traite pl. CXXIII,19 (same dies). Extremely rare. Find patina. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,200

### Athens Decadrachm in Miniature



- 20048 Ascalon (Ca. 400-338 BC). AR quarter-shekel (17mm, 3.94 gm, 9h).** Female head r. with oriental hairstyle and ponytail knotted at bottom / ✠ (A N for Ascalon); Owl stands facing, wings spread, above r. dolphin, inscription upper l. Gitler-Tal III.D. BMC Palestine 8, pl. 19.8. Traite pl. CXXIII,17. SNG ANS 6, pl. 1, 32. Mildeberg 2000c. pl 56,29. Extremely rare and almost never offered. Very Fine.

*The reverse of this coin imitates the famed Athenian decadrachm. Enlarged at Samuels 17.*  
Estimate: \$12,500



- 20049 Ascalon (5-4 centuries BC). AR ma'ah-obol (9mm, 0.68 gm, 6h).** Male head r. with oriental hairstyle, border of dots / ✠ (AN for Ascalon) to lower r. of owl standing r., head facing, olive sprigs upper l. Gitler-Tal III.110. Mildeberg 2000c pl. 56,32. BMC Palestine pl. XIX,4. SNG ANS 6.25. Perhaps the best preserved example. Find patina. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$4,500

### Unique Ascalon Issue



- 20050 Ascalon (Ca. 400-338 BC). AR quarter-shekel (13 X 19mm, 3.14 gm, 6h).** ✠ (retrograde A) below l. lightly bearded male head r., oriental hairstyle / Bearded male head r. Gitler-Tal IV.2D (this coin). Grainy surfaces. Apparently unique. Very Fine.

*Prior to the Gitler-Tal publication of this coin it was unknown.*  
Estimate: \$12,500





- 20051 Samaria (late 4th century BC). AR ma'ah obol (9mm, 0.65 gm, 12h).** 𐤁𐤓 (BT for Bagabat) above Persian king seated on throne r. smelling flower and holding scepter, fire altar to r., circle of dots / Persian king sacrifices bull, he holds it by horns and is ready to stab it with dagger, pellet between them, circle of dots. M-Q CS 33 (this coin). MQ SC 6. Samuels 28 (this coin). Extremely rare. Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$2,500



- 20052 Samaria (late 4th century BC). AR ma'ah-obol (.65 gm, \_h).** Crude helmeted head of Athena r. / AΘE on r., 𐤍𐤓𐤕 (retrograde HNNY-Hannanyah,) below it; owl standing r. head facing. M-Q CS 30. M-Q SC 38. Hendin 1030. Bold inscription. Fine / Very Fine.

*Hannanyah is named as a governor of Samaria in Wadi Daliyeh papyri, (nos. 7 and 9). The Samaritan Chronicles also mention a high priest named Hannanyah during the time of Queen Esther.*  
Estimate: \$1,200



- 20053 Samaria (late 4th century BC). AR ma'ah obol (8mm, 0.64 gm, 2h).** Persian king stands in chariot driven by charioteer in front, holding whip, and pulled by biga / 𐤁𐤓𐤕𐤁𐤓 (BDYHBL); Bearded rider on horse galloping left wearing Persian tiara, holding reigns in l. and sword or whip in r. M-Q SC 15. M-Q CS 35. Sofaer pl. 171,93. Samuels 26 (this coin). Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,800



- 20054 Samaria (late 4th century BC). AR ma'ah obol (10mm, 0.68 gm, 12h).** 𐤁𐤓 (DL); Sidonian galley to l., over waves, with oars, prow and row of shields, floral design above. / 𐤁𐤓𐤕𐤁𐤓 (BDYHBL); Bearded rider on horse galloping left wearing Persian tiara, holding reigns in l. and sword or whip in r. M-Q SC 22 (this coin). M-Q CS 2 (this coin). Sofaer -. Extremely Fine.

*The obverse legend may refer to the name Delayah, which "is quite common in the Bible in the context of the sixth to fifth centuries BC," according to M-Q SC: 22.*  
Estimate: \$900

### Horned Monster



- 20055 Samaria (late 4th century BC). AR quarter-shekel (17mm, 3.32 gm, 6h).** 𐤁 (D possibly for Delayah) above winged Sphinx with horns, all in dotted square border / Horned head of monster facing, all in guilloche square border. M-Q SC p. 88,30. Samuels 6. Mildenberg Bes pl. 1,5. Extremely rare. Find patina. Very Fine.

*While Mildenberg and Samuels attributed this coin to Gaza, subsequent research by Meshorer and Qedar convincingly attribute the type to Samaria.*  
Estimate: \$12,000



- 20056 Samaria (late 4th century BC). AR ma'ah-obol (10mm, 0.55 gm, 6h).** Persian king seated r. on throne smelling a flower /  $\text{𐤠𐤃𐤕𐤕𐤕𐤕}$  (BDYHBL) downward on left; Persian king stands r. wearing kidaris and kandys, raising r. arm and holding staff in l. hand. M-Q SC 37. MQ CS 14. Very Fine. Estimate: \$600



- 20057 Samaria (late 4th century BC). AR ma'ah obol (9mm, 0.70 gm, 6h).** Persian king seated r. on throne smelling flower and holding scepter /  $\text{𐤠𐤃𐤕𐤕𐤕𐤕}$  (BDYHBL) to l. of bearded male standing r., wearing kidaris, sniffing flower and holding another flower in l. hand. M-Q SC 37. MQ SC 14. Hendin 1033. Very Fine/Good Very Fine.

*The name Bdyehibel appears on several coins, but is not yet fully understood or related to a person.*  
Estimate: \$850



- 20058 Samaria (late 4th century BC). AR ma'ah obol (8mm, 0.70 gm, 12h).** Helmeted head of Athena to r. /  $\text{𐤃𐤕}$  (BD) on l. and  $\text{𐤕𐤕}$  (YH) of owl r., head facing. M-Q SC 47 (this coin). MQ SC 9. About Very Fine/Very Fine.

*The name BDYH appears on four coin types, and is mentioned in Ezra 10:35. According to Meshorer and Qedar this is "the only known Hebrew name with the prefix BD" (M-Q SC 21).*  
Estimate: \$600

## Rare Relief / Incuse Design



- 20059 Samaria (late 4th century BC). AR quarter-shekel (16mm, 3.53 gm, 6h).**  $\text{𐤎𐤕}$  (S N for Sanballat) between two confronted fighting warriors, the one on the r. stabs at the body with a dagger, while the one on the l. tries to stab the other in the head, all in square border of dots / Two soldiers face each other, the left figure in relief, the right figure incuse, each holds a long spear; the warrior on the right holds a shield ornamented with a frontal head of Bes, all in square border of dots. Samuels 24 (this coin, but inscription read incorrectly). M-Q SC 49. Traite pl. CXXI 11, 1. Extremely rare. Very Fine.

*One of the few ancient coins of the Levant that combines both incuse and relief design not only on the same coin but on the same side of the coin!*  
Estimate: \$25,000



- 20060 Samaria (late 4th century BC). AR ma'ah obol (10mm, 0.74 gm, 11h).** Two soldiers standing with spears and shields confronting each other, within square border / Two figures standing confronting each other the l. figure holds a long scepter or spear and the r. figure, in incuse, holds a shield and long scepter or spear. M-Q CS 90. MQ SC 50. Samuels 25 (this coin). Extremely rare. Good Very Fine/Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$6,000



- 20061 Samaria (late 4th century BC). AR ma'ah obol (7mm, 0.52 gm, 12h).** Crowned, bearded male head r. / 𐤑𐤍 (SN-Sanballat) above lion seated l., all within square border of dots. M-Q CS 42. MQ SC 52. Hendin 1033. Very Fine/Good Very Fine.

*Perhaps this is the Sanballat II referred to by Josephus as the one who "had been sent to Samaria as satrap by Darius the last king" (Ant. XI:302).*  
Estimate: \$1,500

## The High Priest Abdiel



- 20062 Samaria (late 4th century BC). AR quarter-shekel (14mm, 4.24 gm, 12h).** Helmeted head of Athena to r. / 𐤌𐤍𐤕𐤕𐤕 (Abdiel) downward, between AΘE downward on r. and owl r. head facing, olive spray and crescent upper l., all within incuse square. M-Q CS 39(b) (this coin). Samuels 22 (this coin). M-Q SC 57. Hendin 103. Extremely rare. Some pitting on face, otherwise about Extremely Fine.

*Abdiel I was the High Priest mentioned in the Old Testament (Jer. 36:26) who scolded the Jews for not recognizing the holiness of Mt. Gerizim during the time of Zerubbabel.*  
Estimate: \$6,500



- 20063 Samaria (late 4th century BC). AR ma'ah-obol (10mm, 0.78 gm, 12h).** Helmeted head of Athena to r. / 𐤌𐤍𐤕𐤕𐤕 ('BD'L for Abdiel) downward to r. of owl r. head facing. M-Q SC 59. Rare. Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,200

### Unique Recumbent Stag



**20064 Samaria (late 4th century BC). AR quarter-shekel (14mm, 3.91 gm, 9h).** ℓ∨ (S L for Shelemiyah?) above winged griffin with long, curved horn, flower (?) in l. field, within square border / ℓ∨ above stag kneeling r., head turned l., head of Bes, facing, between horns, with square border. M-Q SC 61 (this coin). Samuels 18 (this coin). Of the highest rarity. Find patina. Very Fine.

*This may be the only known example of this Samarian quarter-shekel type.*

Estimate: \$12,000

### Unique Leaping Lion



**20065 Samaria (late 4th century BC). AR quarter-shekel (15mm, 3.67 gm, 5h).** ℓ∨ (S L for Shelemiyah?) to left of helmeted male with short tunic holding bridle of horse with head turned back, all in square border of dots / ℓ∨ above lion leaping r. with head turned back over ram's head, all in square border of dots. Samuels 19 (this coin). Cf. SNG ANS 46 (ma'ah-obol). Cf. M-Q SC 67 (ma'ah-obol) and 68 (half ma'ah-obol). Unique. Find patina. Good Very Fine.

*While the types are known from smaller denominations, this appears to be the only known example as a quarter-shekel.*

Estimate: \$18,000





**20066 Samaria (late 4th century BC). AR ma'ah obol (10mm, 0.70 gm, 11h).** Head facing with long hair / שומרון (Shomron); owl r., head facing, olive spray and crescent upper l. M-Q SC 89. Very Fine. Estimate: \$600



**20067 Samaria (late 4th century BC). AR ma'ah obol (10mm, 0.66 gm, 12h).** שן (SN for Shomron) Persian king seated r. on throne smelling flower and holding scepter / מז (MZ for Mazdai) Four-winged diety with bird's tail standing r. holding flower and three pointed ring (seal?) in l. M-Q SC 100. M-Q CS-21. Sofaer 167,41. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$600

## Music and Ritual



**20068 Samaria (late 4th century BC). AR quarter-shekel (17mm, 3.62 gm, 12h).** Bearded male figure seated r. on throne playing 5-string harp, below r. mask (?) above r. cuneiform symbols / Male figure on r. stabs horse on l. with spear held in both hands; point of spear emerging from back of horse, all in dotted border. M-Q CS 58,22 (this coin). Samuels 23 (this coin). M-Q SC 128. Extremely rare. Test cut. Find patina. Good Very Fine.

*There are parallels between the obverse motif and the ceremonies in the First Temple, during which musicians played an important role. The male does not wear a royal crown and "considering the fact that this is an original Samaritan coin type and not an imitation of some Cilician or Persian coin prototype, one could suggest a possibility that this figure may represent some aspect of Samaritan religious practice" (M-Q SC: 35).*  
Estimate: \$12,000



**20069 Samaria (late 4th century BC). AR ma'ah obol (9mm, 0.61 gm, 3h).** Persian king, bearded facing l., holds two lions by their forelocks / Lion attacks bull r. M-Q CS —. MQ SC 133 (this coin). Extremely rare. About Extremely Fine/Fine. Estimate: \$2,000



- 20070 Samaria (late 4th century BC). AR ma'ah obol (10mm, 0.79 gm, 3h).** 𐤓 (B) above Sidonian galley l. with oars and row of shields along bulwark; below in two lines are the letters of the Aramaic alphabet 𐤀𐤁𐤂𐤃𐤄𐤅 (ABGDHW), 𐤆𐤇𐤈𐤉 (HTYKL) / Two Persian kings stand facing each other, resting hand on the other's shoulder, each holding dagger, between them a lion sits to r. MQ SC 195 (this coin). M-Q CS 54 (this coin). Samuels 30 (this coin). Extremely rare. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$4,500



- 20071 Samaria (late 4th century BC). AR ma'ah-obol (10mm, 0.61gm, 3h).** Facing head of Bes / Owl standing l. head facing, crook and flail behind. M-Q SC 198 (this coin). M-Q CS (this coin). Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,200



- 20072 Samaria (late 4th century BC). AR half ma'ah-obol (7mm, 0.18 gm, 7h).** Dolphin jumps l., circle of dots / Ram's head l. border of dots. Not in Meshorer-Qedar. Gitler-Tal SNR p. 55, 16, fig. 5. Very Fine.

*This coin might better be attributed to Tyre, Phoenicia.*  
Estimate: \$350



- 20073 Samaria (late 4th century BC). AR half ma'ah-obol (6mm, 0.26 gm, 6h).** Dolphin jumps r., circle of dots / Panther head facing, border of dots. Sofaer pl. 181, 237. Not in Meshorer-Qedar. Good Very Fine.

*This coin might better be attributed to Tyre, Phoenicia.*  
Estimate: \$300

## Classic Yehud Lily / Falcon Issue



- 20074 Yehud (before 333 BC). AR half gerah (7mm, 0.39 gm, 3h).** Lily / 𐤕𐤓𐤕 (yhd) above r. wing of falcon with wings spread, head r. Hendin 1060. Meshorer TJC 16. AJC 117,16b. Extremely Fine.

*Here we have the classic Yehud issue, displaying the lily (strongly resembling the later French fleur de lis) as a symbol for Jerusalem. The lily, or shoshan in Hebrew, was considered a standout among flowers. Rabbinic sources refer to a 'lily-rose,' which is a symbol for Israel, as well as a 'soft lily' and the 'lily of the valley.' The association with the land of Israel appears to be quite ancient (see lot 2004).*

Estimate: \$6,000



- 20075 Yehud (333-302 BC). AR quarter ma'ah obol (8mm, 0.23 gm, 12h).** Facing head in a circle of connected dots / 𐤕𐤓𐤕 (hapecha—the governor) to l., 𐤕𐤓𐤕𐤕𐤕𐤕 (yhzqyh-Hezekiah) to r. of owl standing r., head facing, the feathers of the head form a beaded circle. Hendin 1069. TJC 199,22. AJC I 116,10. Rare. Very Fine.

*Based upon the weight this coin is a quarter ma'ah-obol, although it is sometimes seen as a half ma'ah-obol.*

Estimate: \$1,500



- 20076 Yehud (after 295/284 BC). AR quarter ma'ah obol (7mm, 0.19 gm, 6h).** Diademed head of Ptolemy I / 𐤕𐤓𐤕 (Yehud) to l. of eagle, wings spread, half turned l. and standing upon thunderbolt. Hendin 1080. TJC 200,29. AJC I p117,14. Very rare. Very Fine. Estimate: \$3,000

Rare Ptolemaic Yehud Issue



**20077 Yehud (Ca. 261-260 BC or earlier). AR hemidrachm or triobol (13mm, 1.66 gm, 12h).** Diademed head of Ptolemy I r. /  $\text{𐤙𐤍𐤁𐤏}$  (Yehudah) to l. of eagle, wings spread, half turned l. and standing upon thunderbolt. Samuels 35 (this coin). Hendin 1085. TJC 31a. AJC 184, 2. Extremely rare. Minor encrustation in fields, otherwise Extremely Fine.

*The weight of this extremely rare silver piece would seem to make it a Ptolemaic hemidrachm or triobol, a denomination of which only a handful of specimens have survived.*

Estimate: \$32,500



**20078 Yehud (261-260 BC or earlier). AR quarter ma'ah obol (7mm, 0.18 gm, 12h).** Diademed head of Ptolemy I r. /  $\text{𐤙𐤍𐤁𐤏}$  (Yehudah) to l. of eagle, wings spread, half turned l. and standing upon thunderbolt. Hendin 1087. TJC 32b. AJC I 117,16. Good Very Fine.

Estimate: \$1,500



## The Maccabees

Also known as the Hasmoneans, the patriarch of this family was Mattatayah of Modiin, who led the movement against Seleucid king Antiochus IV, who encroached upon the Jerusalem Temple and the Jewish way of life. When Mattathias and his five sons saw the desecration in the land, they “tore their garments, put on sackcloth, and mourned bitterly” (I Maccabees 2:14).

The victory of Mattatayah, his sons—especially the son Judah (Yehudah) the Maccabee, and their followers resulted in the proclamation of a festival beginning on Kislev 25 in 164 BC. It became the Jewish holiday of Chanukah, which has been celebrated by Jews worldwide for eight days every year since that time.

The first coin of the Maccabees was struck under John Hyrcanus (Yehohanan), nephew of Judah, who was High Priest from 135 to 104 BC. Many of his early coins ironically paid homage to the Seleucid successors of the hated Antiochus IV, and some of Hyrcanus’ early coins carry monograms that apparently refer to either Antiochus VII or Alexander Zebina. The excessively rare double-prutah of Hyrcanus depicting a helmet and cornucopias is represented in the Shoshannah collection. The Maccabees struck only bronze coins because they were never granted the right to issue coins of silver.

Hyrcanus’ son Judah Aristobulus I (Yehudah) was, according to Josephus, the first of the Maccabees to hold the title King as well as High Priest. But his reign was so short-lived the designation never appeared on his coins.

Aristobulus was succeeded by his brother Alexander Jannaeus (Yehonatan or Yonatan), designated on his coins as both King and High Priest, and his are the most common of the Maccabean coins. They are also the first bi-lingual ancient Jewish coins, carrying inscriptions not only in the traditional paleo-Hebrew but also in Greek, and sometimes Aramaic.

The last of the Maccabean rulers was Mattatayah Antigonus, who ruled from 40-37 BC in a time of great turmoil. Herod had been named King of the Jews by a declaration of the Roman Senate and approval of the triumvirate, marshaled by Mark Antony.

Mattatayah attempted to rally the Jews behind himself and his dynastic legacy by issuing a remarkable coin depicting two objects from the Temple—the showbread table and the seven-branched menorah. This is among the rarest and certainly the most sought-after coin of this period, and the Shoshana collection offers two remarkable examples in this auction. —dh



- 20079 John Hyrcanus I (134 - 104 BC). AE prutah (15mm, 2.16 gm, 12h).** Paleo-Hebrew (*Yehohanan the High Priest and the Council of the Jews*) within wreath, Greek A above inscription / Double cornucopia adorned with ribbons, pomegranate between horns, border of dots. Hendin 1132. TJC Group A. AJC I Group M. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$400



- 20080 John Hyrcanus I (134 - 104 BC). AE half-prutah (11mm, 0.90 gm, 12h).** Paleo-Hebrew (*Yehohanan the High Priest and the Council of the Jews*); two lines above and below palm branch / Lily between two ears of grain, border of dots. Hendin 1134a. TJC Group C. AJC I Group O, Samuels 36 (this coin). Rare. About Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,000



- 20081 John Hyrcanus I. (134 - 104 BC). AE prutah (13mm, 1.23 gm, 12h).** Paleo-Hebrew in wedge style characters (*Yehohanan the High Priest and the Council of the Jews*) within wreath / Double cornucopia adorned with ribbons, pomegranate between horns. Hendin 1135. TJC Group D. AJC I 148 P. RPC 2269. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$300



## Rare Double-Prutah of John Hyrcanus I



**20082 John Hyrcanus I. (134 - 104 BC). AE double prutah (18mm, 3.38 gm, 12h).** Paleo-Hebrew (*Yehohanan the High Priest and Head of the Council of the Jews*); double cornucopia, horns face in same direction, adorned with ribbons / Helmet with decorative crest facing r., border of dots. Hendin 1136. TJC 207, H1. AJC I 150, R1 (misattributed to Hyrcanus II). Samuels 37 (this coin). Extremely rare. Very Fine.

*This rare coin is the only Hasmonean issue that was not struck on a planchet with beveled edges and for this reason it is suggested that it was not struck at the Jerusalem mint, Samaria is often mentioned as a possibility. Anecdotal evidence of find spots suggests a possible mint in the Galilee.*  
Estimate: \$42,000



- 20083 Judah Aristobulus I (104 BC). AE prutah (15mm, 2.17 g, 2h).** Hebrew inscription in block style characters (*Yehudah the High Priest and the Council of the Jews*) within wreath / Double cornucopia adorned with ribbons, pomegranate between horns, border of dots. Hendin 1143a. TJC Group V. AJC I Group Jc. Samuels 38 (this coin). Extremely rare. Good Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-10-1992 (Bromberg II), 324.*

*Aristobulus coins with this style of script usually have the paleo-Hebrew letter א (D) on first line, but here it is the first letter of the second line.*

Estimate: \$800



- 20084 Alexander Jannaeus (104 - 76 BC). AE prutah (12 X 19mm, 2.33 gm, 12h).** Paleo-Hebrew (*Yehonatan the High Priest and the Council of the Jews*) within by wreath / Double cornucopia adorned with ribbons, pomegranate between horns, border of dots. Hendin 1145. TJC Group P. Meshorer AJC II Group Eb. Samuels 39 (this coin, enlarged on p. 26).

*Quite interesting example with casting spurs still attached to planchet.*

Estimate: \$600



- 20085 Alexander Jannaeus (104 - 76 BC). AE half-prutah (12mm, 1.20 gm, 6h).** Upright palm branch flanked by paleo-Hebrew (*Yehonatan the King*), border of dots / Lily, border of dots. Hendin 1147. TJC Group O. AJC I Group O. Very rare in this quality. Extremely Fine.

Estimate: \$5,000



- 20086 Alexander Jannaeus (104 - 76 BC). AE prutah (13 X 16mm, 2.40 gm, 12h).** Lily flanked by paleo-Hebrew (*Yehonatan the King*), border of dots / [BAΣ]IAEΩ[Σ A]AEE[ANΔPOY] (*of King Alexander*); inverted anchor within circle. Hendin 1148. TJC Group B. AJC I Group Aa. Good Very Fine.

Estimate: \$250



- 20087 Alexander Jannaeus (104 - 76 BC). AE prutah (16mm, 4.24 gm, 12h).** Paleo-Hebrew (*Yehonatan the King*) between the rays of star with eight rays within diadem / BAΣIAEΩΣ [AΛEEANΔP]OY (*of King Alexander*) around inverted anchor. Hendin 1150. TJC Group K. AJC Group Ca. Very Fine.

Estimate: \$120



- 20088 Alexander Jannaeus (104 - 76 BC). AE prutah (14mm, 2.02 gm, 2h).** Paleo-Hebrew (*Yehonatan the King*) between the rays of star with eight rays within diadem / BAΣIAEΩΣ AΛEEANΔPOY (*of King Alexander*) around inverted anchor. Hendin 1150. TJC Group K. AJC Group Ca. Extremely Fine.

*Ex. Superior Galleries 12-10-1992 (Bromberg II), 323.*

Estimate: \$250





- 20089 Mattatayah Antigonus (40 - 37 BC). AE 8 prutah (25mm, 15.32 gm, 12h).** Paleo-Hebrew (*Mattatayah the High Priest and Council of the Jews*), around and between double cornucopia / BACIAEΩC ANTIFONOIY (*of King Antigonus*) around ivy wreath tied with ribbons. Hendin 1162. TJC 36. AJC I Group U. Slightly off center. Very Fine. Estimate: \$300



- 20090 Mattatayah Antigonus (40 - 37 BC). AE eight prutah (24mm, 14.79 gm, 2h).** Paleo-Hebrew (*Mattatayah the High Priest and Council of the Jews*), around and between double cornucopia / BACIAEΩC ANTIFONOIY (*of King Antigonus*) around ivy wreath tied with ribbons. Hendin 1162. TJC 36. AJC I 155ff Group U. Samuels 43 (this coin). Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$500



- 20091 Mattatayah Antigonus (40 - 37 BC). AE four prutah (19mm, 7.18 gm, 2h).** Paleo-Hebrew (*Mattatayah the High Priest*) around cornucopia tied with ribbons, decorated with vine leaf and grapes / BACIA ANTIFO NOY within wreath and border of dots. Hendin 1163. TJC 37. AJC I Group V. Unusually well centered for this type. About Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$350



- 20092 Mattatayah Antigonus (40 - 37 BC). AE prutah (14mm, 1.95 gm, 3h).** Paleo-Hebrew (*Mattatayah the Priest*) within wreath / Double cornucopia adorned with ribbons, pomegranate between horns. Hendin 1166. TJC 38. AJC W 1-3. Very rare. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$1,200

## Showbread / Menorah Issue of Mattatayah Antigonus



**20093 Mattatayah Antigonus (40 - 37 BC). AE prutah (17mm, 1.25 gm, 12h).** Traces of paleo-Hebrew (*Mattatayah the Priest*) around showbread table / *BAΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΑΝΤΙΓΟΝΟΥ*; seven-branched menorah. Hendin 1168. TJC 41. AJC I Group Z. Samuels 45 (this coin). About Extremely Fine.

*Ex. A. Bromberg Collection by private treaty.*

*The most striking aspect of this coin to modern viewers is the image of the golden seven-branched menorah that stood in the Jerusalem Temple, that object can also be seen in nearly the same form, as it is carried in the triumphal procession, on the Arch of Titus in Rome. At the time this coin was struck it was one of very few images of the menorah and showbread table that were created while the Second Temple stood. At the time, the menorah and table were specific references to the Jerusalem Temple itself. It was only much later, after the Temple was destroyed by Titus in 70 AD that the use of the menorah as a symbol was expanded, and by the 4th-5th centuries AD the menorah had become a widely used symbol of Judaism itself, used on rings, seals, oil lamps, and synagogue decorations. Today the menorah is the national emblem of the State of Israel.*  
Estimate: \$175,000



## A Second Menorah Prutah



**20094 Mattatayah Antigonus (40 - 37 BC). AE prutah (15mm, 1.10 gm, 12h).** Traces of paleo-Hebrew (*Mattatayah the High Priest*) around showbread table / [BAΣΙΑ]ΕΩΣ Α[ΝΤΙΓΟΝΟΥ]; seven-branched menorah. Hendin 1168. TJC 41. AJC I Group Z. Samuels 44 (this coin). Extremely rare. Very Fine.

Ex. Superior 9/12/1989 (Heifitz Collection Part 2), 2293.

*This coin depicts the showbread table and menorah, two of the most sacred objects in the Jerusalem Temple. One might think that the only ancient coin depicting such holy objects would be well manufactured. However, the showbread/menorah coins are generally poorly struck and, moreover, always struck from dies much larger than the planchets. Therefore the inscriptions are never complete, and, indeed, the coin type had been known for more than 100 years before it was recognized that there was a paleo-Hebrew inscription around the showbread table. In the entire Hasmonean (Maccabean) series of coins, the side with the paleo-Hebrew script is always the obverse, hence the description. Estimate: \$90,000*



## The Herodians

When Herod was named King of the Jews by the Roman Senate and Mark Antony in 40 BC he found himself in a difficult position. He was "King" in name only, since Mattatayah Antigonus was in fact king on the ground. Herod, supported by Roman troops, went to war against Antigonus and his Parthian supporters. Herod's victory was not very popular and contrary to the desires of most Jews, whose sympathies lay with Antigonus and the storied Hasmonean Dynasty.

While the Maccabees had ruled almost as vassals to the Seleucid Syrians, Herod ruled by the grace of Rome. To strengthen his ties with the Jewish people he married Mariamne, a granddaughter of Hyrcanus II. She was the love of his life, but as the last remaining Hasmonean princess, Herod saw her as a threat and had her murdered. Some years later he also sentenced his two sons by Mariamne, Antipater and Aristobulus (who was father of the child Agrippa, who later became known as Agrippa I) murdered at a pool in the family palace at Jericho.

When Augustus heard about these killings, he reportedly said "It is better to be Herod's pig than his son." The fact that Herod did not eat pork was well known to Augustus, and the Roman historian Persius later referred to the Jewish Sabbath as "Herod's Day."

Herod was known as a great builder, and indeed his structures were among the finest in the world at the time. They included the remarkable port at Caesarea Maritima and the complete rebuilding of the Jerusalem Temple and its vicinity as well as many others both inside and outside of his own territories.

His three sons Archelaus, Philip, and Antipas (who Jesus referred to as "that fox") succeeded in various tracts Herod's kingdom.

His grandson Agrippa I issued a fascinating series of bronze coins, some of which refer to him as "great king and friend of Caesar." (Ironically, Herod himself, who today is often called "Herod the Great," was never referred to by that name in ancient times.)

Members of Herod's family ruled in ancient Israel and nearby territories until the death of his great-grandson Agrippa II in 96 AD. But even after that time Herodian princes entered other royal houses such as in Armenia, and also held administrative positions in Rome. —dh



**20095 Herod I (40 - 4BC). AE 8 prutah (25mm, 9.15 gm, 1h).** Military helmet, frontal view, cheek pieces and straps, star above flanked above by palm branches / HPΩ[ΔO]Y ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ (*of King Herod*); tripod, ceremonial bowl (lebes) above, flanked by date ΛΓ (*year 3*) and TP monogram. Hendin 1169. TJC 44. AJC II 235,1. RPC 4901. Slightly rough, dark green patina. Very Fine. Estimate: \$600



**20096 Herod I (40 - 4BC). AE 8 prutah (21.5mm, 6.45 gm, 2h).** Military helmet, frontal view, cheek pieces and straps, star above flanked by palm branches / [HPΩΔ]OY ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ (*of King Herod*); tripod, ceremonial bowl (lebes) above, flanked by date ΛΓ (*year 3*) and TP monogram. Hendin 1169 variety. TJC 44b. AJC II 235,1b. Struck on a small, light flan, and decidedly scarce thus. Very Fine.

*Ex. Superior Galleries 10-12-1992 (Bromberg 2), 330.*  
Estimate: \$500



**20097 Herod I (40 - 4BC). AE 4 prutah (20mm, 4.67 gm, 12h).** Shield with decorated rim / HPΩΔOY ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ; crested helmet flanked by date ΛΓ (*year 3*) and TP monogram. Hendin 1170. TJC 45. AJC 235,2. RPC 4901. Dark green patina. Very Fine. Estimate: \$600



**20098 Herod I (40-4BC). AE 2 prutah (18mm, 3.48 gm, 1h).** Poppy on stalk / HPΩΔOY ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ; winged caduceus flanked by date ΛΓ (*year 3*) and TP monogram. Hendin 1172. TJC 46. AJC 235,4. RPC 4904. Samuels 47 (this coin). Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$700



- 20099 Herod I (40 - 4BC). AE prutah (16mm, 2.50 gm, 11h).** Palm branch with objects (leaves?) on either side / HPΩΔΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ; aphlaston flanked by date ΛΓ (year 3) and TP monogram. Hendin 1171. TJC 3. AJC II 235,3. RPC 4903. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$750



- 20100 Herod I (40 - 4BC). AE half-prutah (13mm, 0.78 gm, 6h).** HPΩΔΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ; tripod table / Palm branch upright within circle. Hendin 1186. TJC 56. AJC II 237,15. Superb reverse, obverse is partly off center (keeping in mind that in this series the dies are invariably much larger than the planchets upon which they were struck). Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$600



- 20101 Herod I (40 [37] - 4 BC). AE (19.5mm, 3.51 gm, 12h).** HPΩΔΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ; cross within open diadem / Tripod table, flat object (vessel?) upon it, flanked by palm branches. Hendin 1178. TJC 48. AJC II 236, 7. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$400



- 20102 Herod I (40 - 4BC). AE prutah (15mm, 1.87 gm, 7h).** HPW BACIA; anchor / Double cornucopia with caduceus between, dots above. Hendin 1188. TJC 59. AJC II, 237,17. RPC 4910. Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$100



- 20103 Herod I (40 - 4BC). AE prutah (15mm, 1.56 gm, 7h).** HPW BACI reads outward; anchor / Double cornucopia with caduceus between, dots above. Hendin 1188a. TJC 59h. AJC II, 237,17g. Samuels 48 (this coin). Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$200



- 20104 Herod Archelaus (4 BC - 6 AD). AE two prutah (18.5mm, 2.81 gm, 12h).** HPWΔHC (Herod); double cornucopias, adorned with grapes, horns parallel, turned to the l. / ΕΘΝ ΠΧΑ CH (Ethnarch); war galley facing left with aphlaston, oars, cabin, ram. Hendin 1194. TJC 70a. AJC II 239,3a. Samuels 49 (this coin). About Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$600



- 20105 Herod Archelaus (4 BC - 6 AD). AE prutah (16mm, 2.80 gm, 6h).** ΕΘΝΑΡΧΟΥ (of the Ethnarch); crested helmet with cheek straps, viewed from front, caduceus below l. / HPWΔΟΥ (of Herod); bunch of grapes on vine with small leaf on left. Hendin 1196. TJC 73. AJC II 241,6. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$120



- 20106 Herod Archelaus (4 BC - 6 AD). AE half-prutah (14.5mm, 1.56 gm, 12h).** HPW; prow of galley facing l. circle of dots / ΕΘΝ within wreath, circle of dots. Hendin 1197. TJC 72c. AJC II 241,5c. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$150



- 20107 Herod Antipas (4 BC - 39 AD). Mint of Tiberias. AE full denomination (26mm, 13.61 gm, 12h).** ΤΙΒΕΡΙΑΣ within wreath / HPWΔΟΥ ΤΕΤΡΑΡΧΟΥ (of Herod the Tetrarch); Λ ΚΑ (year 24=20/21 AD) in fields; reed upright. Hendin 1199. TJC 75. AJC II 242, 1. Samuels 50 (this coin). Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$2,500





- 20108 Herod Antipas (4 BC - 39 AD). Mint of Tiberias. AE half denomination (18mm, 6.08 gm, 12h).** TIBE PIAC within wreath / HPWΔOY TETPAPXOY; L KΔ (year 24=20/21 AD) in fields; reed upright. Hendin 1200. TJC 76. AJC II 242,2. RPC 4919. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$2,500



- 20109 Herod Antipas (4 BC - 39 AD). Mint of Tiberias. AE quarter denomination (16mm, 4.07 gm, 12h).** TIBE PIAC within wreath / HPWΔOY TETPAPXOY; L KΔ (year 24=20/21 AD) in fields; reed upright. Hendin 1201. TJC 77. AJC II 242, 3. RPC 4920. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$2,500



- 20110 Herod Antipas (4 BC - 39 AD). Mint of Tiberias. AE eighth denomination (10mm, 1.61 gm, 11h).** TI BE within wreath / HPWΔ TETPAP (Herod the Tetrarch) L KΔ (year 24=20/21 AD); in fields; reed upright. Hendin 1202. TJC 78. AJC II 242, 4. RPC 4921. Rare and seldom offered. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$3,000



- 20111 Herod Antipas (4 BC - 39 AD). Mint of Tiberias. AE full denomination (23mm, 12.58 gm, 12h).** TIBE PIAC (Tiberias) within wreath / HPWΔOY TETPAPXOY (of Herod the Tetrarch); L ΔΓ (year 33 = 29/30 AD) in fields; palm branch upright. Hendin 1203. TJC 79. AJC II 242, 5. RPC 4922. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$2,500



- 20112 Herod Antipas (4 BC - 39 AD). Mint of Tiberias. AE half denomination (19mm, 5.90 gm, 12h).** TIBE PIAC within wreath / HPWΔOY TETPAPXOY; L ΔΓ (year 33 = 29/30 AD) in fields; palm branch upright. Hendin 1204. TJC 80. AJC II 242, 6. RPC 4923. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$600



- 20113 Herod Antipas (4 BC - 39 AD). Mint of Tiberias. AE quarter denomination (15mm, 4.13 gm, 12h).** TIBE PIAC within wreath / HPWΔOY TETPAPXOY; L ΔΓ (year 33 = 29/30 AD) in fields; palm branch upright. Hendin 1205. TJC 81. AJC II 242,7. RPC 4924. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,800



- 20114 Herod Antipas (4 BC - 39 AD). Mint of Tiberias. AE eighth denomination (12mm, 1.52 gm, 12h).** TIBE PIAC within wreath / HPWΔOY TETPAPXOY; L ΔΖ (year 37 = 33/34 AD) in fields; palm branch upright. Hendin 1214. TJC 90. AJC II 242,17. RPC 4934. Rare. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$2,500



- 20115 Herod Antipas (4 BC - 39 AD). Mint of Tiberias. AE eighth denomination (13mm, 1.69 gm, 12h).** TIBE PIAC within wreath / HPWΔOY TETPAPXOY; L ΔΓ (year 33 = 29/30 AD) in fields; palm branch upright. Hendin 1206. TJC 82. AJC II 242,8. RPC 4925. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$3,000





- 20116 Herod Antipas (4 BC - 39 AD). Mint of Tiberias. Full denomination. AE (24mm, 10.79 gm, 12h).** TIBE ΠΙΑC within wreath / HPWΔOY TETPAPXOY; Λ ΔΔ (year 34 = 30/31 AD) in fields; palm branch upright. Hendin 1207. TJC 222, 9. AJC II 242, 9. Slightly rough. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$2,500



- 20117 Herod Antipas (4 BC - 39 AD). Mint of Tiberias. AE half denomination (20mm, 6.46 gm, 12h).** TIBE ΠΙΑC within wreath / HPWΔOY TETPAPXOY; Λ ΔΔ (year 34 = 30/31 AD) in fields; palm branch upright. Hendin 1208. TJC 83. AJC II 242, 10. RPC 4927. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$2,500



- 20118 Herod Antipas (4 BC - 39 AD). Mint of Tiberias. AE half denomination (18mm, 5.14 gm, 12h).** TIBE ΠΙΑC within wreath / [HPW]ΔOY TETPAPX[OY]; Λ ΔZ (year 37 = 33/34 AD) in fields; palm branch upright. Hendin 1212. TJC 88. AJC II 242, 14. RPC 4931. Very Fine. Estimate: \$2,000



- 20119 Herod Antipas (4 BC - 39 AD). Mint of Tiberias. AE full denomination (25mm, 14.92 gm, 12h).** ΓΑΙΩ ΚΑΙCΑΡ ΓΕΡΜΑ ΝΙΚΩ (for Gaius Caesar Germanicus) within wreath / HPWΔHC TETPAPXHC (Herod the Tetrarch); ΕΤΟ CMΓ (year 43 = 39/40 AD) in fields; seven-branched palm tree with two date clusters. Hendin 1215. TJC 91. AJC II 243, 17. RPC 4934. Rare. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$3,750



- 20120 Herod Antipas (4 BC - 39 AD). Mint of Tiberias. AE half denomination (19mm, 7.33gm, 12h).** ΓΑΙΩ ΚΑΙCΑΡ ΓΕΡΜΑ ΝΙΚΩ within wreath / [HPW]ΔHC TETPAPXHC; Λ ΜΓ (year 43 = 39/40 AD) in fields; palm branch upright. Hendin 1216. TJC 92. AJC II 243, 18. RPC 4935. Very rare. Very Fine. Estimate: \$3,000



- 20121 Herod Antipas (4 BC - 39 AD). Mint of Tiberias. AE (15mm, 3.17 gm, 12h).** ΓΑΙΩ ΚΑΙCΑΡ (for Gaius Caesar) within wreath / HPΩΔHC TETPAPXHC; Λ ΜΓ in fields; bunch of dates. Hendin 1217. TJC 93. AJC II 243, 19. RPC 4936. Samuels 52 (this coin). Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$2,500

### Rare Portrait of Herod Philip



- 20122 Herod Philip (4 BC - 34 AD). Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE (24mm, 8.50 gm, 12h).** KAIC[AP] CEBACTOY (of Caesar Augustus); bare head of Augustus to r. / ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ ΤΕΤΡΑΡΧΟΥ (of Philip the Tetrarch); LE (year 5 = 1 / 2 AD) in fields; bare head of Herod Philip r. Hendin 1219. TJC 95. AJC II 244, 1P. RPC 4938. Samuels 53 (this coin). Extremely rare. Fine-Very Fine.

*Ex. Maltiel-Gerstenfeld collection.*  
Estimate: \$20,000



- 20123 Herod Philip (4 BC - 34 AD). Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE (18mm, 5.08 gm, 1h).** ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ [ΤΕΤΡΑΡΧΟΥ] (of Philip the Tetrarch); LE (year 5 = 1/2 AD) in fields; bare head of Herod Philip to r. / CEBAC [KAIC]AP (Augustus Caesar); the Augusteum of Paneas (shown as a tetrastyle temple) on high platform, lily in pediment. Hendin 1220. TJC 228,96. AJC II 244,2. Samuels 54 (this coin). Extremely rare and of extraordinary quality. About Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$16,000



- 20124 Herod Philip (4 BC - 34 AD). Mint of Paneas. AE (21mm, 9.57 gm, 12h).** KAIC[A]PI [CE]BACTΩ (for Caesar Augustus); laureate head of Augustus to r. / ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ ΤΕΤΡ[ΑΡΧΟΥ]; LIB (year 12 = 8/9 AD) between columns of the Augusteum of Paneas with stairs leading to it, dot in pediment. Hendin 1221. TJC 97. AJC II 244,3. RPC 4941. Rare. About Extremely Fine/Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$4,000



- 20125 Herod Philip (4 BC - 34 AD). Mint of Paneas. AE (24mm, 9.55 gm, 12h).** KA[ICAPI] CEBACTΩ (for Caesar Augustus); laureate head of Augustus to r. / ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ ΤΕΤΡΑΡΧΟΥ; LIB (year 12 = 8/9 AD) (reverse legend is retrograde) between columns of the Augusteum of Paneas with stairs leading to it, dot in pediment. Hendin 1221a. TJC 97b. AJC II 244,3b. RPC 4940. Rare. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$2,000



- 20126 Herod Philip (4 BC - 34 AD). Mint of Paneas. AE (19mm, 6.37 gm, 12h).** [KA]ICA[PI] CEBACTΩ (*for Caesar Augustus*); laureate head of Augustus to l. / ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ ΤΕΤΡ (of Philip the Tetrarch); LIB (year 12 = 8/9 AD) between columns of the Augusteum of Paneas, floral design in pediment. Hendin 1222. TJC 98. AJC II 244,4. Samuels 55 (this coin). Rare. Very Fine. Estimate: \$4,500



- 20127 Herod Philip (4 BC - 34 AD). Mint of Paneas. AE (5.40 gm, 12h).** ΤΙΒ ΚΑΙΣΑΡΙ ΣΕΒΑΣ (*for Tib[erius] Caesar Augustus*); laureate head of Tiberius to r., countermark Φ on neck / ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ ΤΕΤΡΑΧΟΥ; Λ ΙΘ (year 19 = 15/16 AD) between columns of the Augusteum of Paneas, no podium, staircase below, dot in pediment. Hendin 1224a. TJC 101c. AJC II 244,7c. RPC 4934. About Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,500



- 20128 Herod Philip (4 BC - 34 AD). Mint of Paneas AE (15mm, 3.52 gm, 12h).** Laureate head of Tiberius to r., no inscription / ΕΠΙ ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ ΤΕΤΡΑΡΧΟΥ] (*in the time of Philip the tetrarch*); ΛΔ (year 30) between columns of the Augusteum of Paneas on low platform, dot in pediment. Hendin 1226. TJC 103. AJC II 245,9. RPC 4945. Very rare. Very Fine. Estimate: \$3,500



- 20129 Herod Philip (4 BC - 34 AD). Mint of Paneas. AE (23mm, 7.83 gm, 12h).** [ΣΕΒΑΣΤΩΙ] (*of the Augusti*); jugate heads of Tiberius and Livia to r. / ΕΠΙ ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ [ΤΕΤΡΑΡ]ΧΟΥ (*in the time of Herod the Tetrarch*); the Augusteum of Paneas on high platform with round design in center. Hendin 1229. TJC 100. AJC II 248, 6. RPC 4951. About Very Fine/Very Fine. Estimate: \$3,500



- 20130 Herod Philip (4 BC - 34 AD). Mint of Paneas. AE (20mm, 6.94 gm, 1h).** ΤΙΒΕΡΙΟΥ [ΣΕΒΑΣΤΟ]Σ ΚΑΙΣΑΡ; laureate head of Tiberius to r., laurel branch in r. field / ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ ΤΕΤΡΑΡΧΟΥ ΚΤΙΣ (*of the founder, Philip the tetrarch*); Λ Δ (year 34 = 30/31 AD) between columns of the Augusteum of Paneas, small inverted triangle on pediment. Hendin 1230. TJC 106. AJC II 246,12. RPC 4948. Rough surfaces. Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,500





- 20131 Herod Philip (4 BC - 34 AD). Mint of Paneas. AE (19mm, 6.47 gm, 12h).** [TIBEPIOC CEBA]CTOC KAICAP, laureate head of Tiberius to r., laurel branch in r. field / [E]ΠΙ ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ ΤΕΤΡΑΡΧΟΥ; Λ Λ Ζ (year 37 = 33/34 AD) between columns of the Augusteum of Paneas on low platform, small inverted triangle in pediment. Hendin 1233. TJC 109. AJC II 246,14. RPC 4952. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$6,000



- 20132 Herod Philip (4 BC - 34 AD). Mint of Paneas. AE (13mm, 3.50 gm, 12h).** IO[ΥΛΙΑ CEBACTH]; draped bust of Livia to r. / ΚΑΡΠΟΦ[ΟΡΟC] (fruit-bearing); Λ Λ Ζ (year 37 = 33/34 AD) in fields; hand holds three ears of grain. Hendin 1234. TJC 110. AJC II -. Samuels 57 (this coin). Very rare. Good fine.  
Estimate: \$1,500



- 20133 Herod Philip (4 BC - 34 AD). Mint of Paneas. AE (12mm, 1.34 gm, 12h).** ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ; bare head of Herod Philip to r. / Λ Λ Ζ (year 37 = 33/34 AD) within wreath. Hendin 1235. TJC 111. AJC II 246,13 BER. RPC 4953. Samuels 56 (this coin). Rare. About Very Fine/Very Fine.

*A lovely example of this small coin portrait coin of Herod Philip which, remarkably, has full legends.*  
Estimate: \$8,000





## Agrippa I Portrait Issue



**20134** Agrippa I (37 - 44 AD). Mint of Caesarea Maritima. AE (21mm, 10.25 gm, 12h). BA[CIA]E[ΩC] AΓΡΙΠΠΙΑC (of King Agrippa); diademed head Agrippa I to r. / AΓ[PIΠΠIA YI]OY BACIAEΩC (Agrippa, son of the king); Agrippa II rides horse r., LB (year 2 = 37/38 AD) beneath horse. Hendin 1237. TJC 113 (this coin). AJC II 247,1 (this coin). RPC 4974. Samuels 58 (this coin). Very rare. Very Fine.

*Ex. Superior 5-12-1991 (Bromberg Collection), lot 40.*  
Estimate: \$30,000





- 20135 Agrippa I (37 - 44 AD). Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE (19mm, 7.67 gm, 12h).** ΒΑΣΙΛΕΥΣ ΑΓΡΙΠΠΙΑΣ (*of King Agrippa*); diademed head Agrippa I to r. / [ΑΓΡΙΠΠΙΑ ΥΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΥΣ] (*Agrippa, son of the king*); Agrippa II rides horse r., LB (year 2 = 37/38 AD) beneath horse. Hendin 1237. TJC 239,113. AJC II 247,1. RPC 4974/3. Nice portrait, extremely rare. Good Fine. Estimate: \$4,500

#### Outstanding Caligula Portrait



- 20136 Agrippa I (37 - 44 AD). Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE (24mm, 11.98 gm, 12h).** ΓΑΙΟΥ ΚΑΙΣΑΡΙ ΣΕΒΑΣΤΩ ΓΕΡΜΑΝΙΚΩ (*for Gaius Caesar Augustus Germanicus*); laureate head of Caligula to l. / [ΝΟΜΙΣ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΥΣ] ΑΓΡΙΠΠΙΑ (*money of King Agrippa*), LE (year 5 = 40/41 AD) in exergue; Germanicus stands in triumphal quadriga r. Hendin 1240. TJC 230-1,116. AJC II 2 (inscription incorrect). RPC 4976. Extraordinary portrait of Caligula. About Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$25,000



- 20137 Agrippa I (37 - 44 AD). Mint of Caesarea Maritima. AE (18mm, 11.98 gm, 12h).** [ΚΑΙΣΩΝΙΑ ΓΥΝΗ ΣΕ]ΒΑΣΤΟΥ (*Caesonia, wife of Augustus*); head of Caesonia to l. / ΔΡΟΥΣΙΑΛΛΗ [ΘΥΤΑΤΡΙ ΣΕΒΑΣΤΟΥ] (*for Drusilla the daughter of Augustus*); LE (year 5 = 40/41 AD) in l. field; Drusilla (daughter of Caligula) stands l. with a branch over her shoulder, holding a small Victory. Hendin 1241. TJC 117. AJC II 247,3. RPC 4778. Samuels 60 (this coin). Very rare. Very Fine plus. Estimate: \$7,500



- 20138 Agrippa I (37 - 44 AD). Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE (16mm, 3.06 gm, 12h).** [ΒΑΣΙΛΕΥΣ] ΑΓΡΙΠΠΙΑ, diademed, draped bust of Agrippa to r. / ΒΑΣΙΛ[ΙΣΣΗΣ ΚΥΠΡΟΣ] (*of Queen Cypros*); LE (year 5 = 40/41 AD) in l. field; veiled Cypros (wife of Agrippa) stands front, holding long scepter in her l. hand and object in her raised r. hand. Hendin 1242. TJC 118. AJC II 248,7. RPC 4978. Samuels 61 (this coin). One of very few known examples. Fine. Estimate: \$8,000



- 20139 Agrippa I (37-44 AD), for Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE (15mm, 2.75 gm, 12h).** [ΑΓΡΙΠΠΙΑ ΥΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΥΣ ΑΓΡΙΠΠΙΑ] (*Agrippa, son of King Agrippa*); LE (year 5 = 40/41 AD) in field l.; bare bust of young Agrippa II to l. / [ΒΑΣ ΑΓΡΙΠΠΙΑ ΦΙΛΟΚΑΙΣΑΡ] (*King Agrippa, friend of Caesar*); double cornucopias crossed at bases. Hendin 1243. TJC 119. AJC II 247,4. RPC 1243. RPC 4979. Extremely rare. About Fine. Estimate: \$2,500



- 20140 Agrippa I (37 - 44 AD). Mint of Caesarea Maritima. AE (25 X 28mm, 17.74 gm, 2h).** [ΤΙΒΕΡΙΟΣ ΚΑΙΣΑΡ] ΣΕΒΑΣΤΟΣ ΓΕΡ[Μ] (*Tiberius Caesar Augustus Germanicus*); laureate bust of Caligula to r. oval countermark with head r. on chin / [ΒΑΣΙΛΕΥΣ ΜΕΓΑΣ ΑΓΡΙΠΠΙΑΣ ΦΙΛΟ] (the Great King Agrippa, friend of [Caesar]); distyle temple, LZ (year 7 = 42/43 AD) in pediment, within temple, two figures stand facing each other and hold circular objects (pateras?), below, figure kneels l., in center, torso holds another object. Hendin 1245. TJC 121b. AJC II 248, 8a. RPC 4983/7. Rough surfaces. Very Rare. Very Fine/Fine. Estimate: \$6,000



- 20141 Agrippa I (37 - 44 AD). Mint of Caesarea Maritima. AE (21mm, 7.99 gm, 12h).** ΒΑΣΙΛΕΥΣ ΜΕΓΑΣ ΑΓΡΙΠΠΙΑΣ ΦΙΛΟ[ΚΑΙΣΑΡ] (the Great King Agrippa, friend of Caesar); diademed, draped bust of Agrippa I to r. / ΚΑΙΣΑΡΙΑ Η [ΠΙΡΟΣ ΤΩ ΣΕΒΑΣΤΩ] ΛΙΜΗΝ (Caesarea, which is by the port of Sebastos); LZ (year 7 = 42/43 AD) in r. field; Tyche stands l., her r. hand on rudder and her l. holds palm branch. Hendin 1246. TJC 232, 122. AJC II 248, 6. RPC 4985. About Very Fine. Estimate: \$4,500



- 20142 Agrippa I (37 - 44 AD). Mint of Caesarea Maritima. AE (20mm, 7.83 gm, 12h).** ΒΑΣΙΛΕΥΣ ΜΕΓΑΣ [ΑΓΡΙΠΠΙΑΣ] ΦΙΛΟΚΑΙΣΑΡ (the Great King Agrippa, friend of Caesar); diademed, draped bust of Agrippa I to r. / ΚΑΙΣΑΡΙΑ Η ΠΙΡΟΣ ΤΩ ΣΕΒΑΣΤΩ ΛΙΜΗΝΙ (Caesarea, which is by the port of Sebastos); LZ (year 7 = 42/43 AD) in r. field; Tyche stands l., her r. hand on rudder and her l. holds palm branch. Hendin 1246. TJC 122. AJC II 248, 6. RPC 4985. Samuels 64 (this coin). Very Rare. Very Fine. Estimate: \$4,000



- 20143 Agrippa I (37 - 44 AD). Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE (18mm, 4.71 gm, 12h).** ΑΓΡΙΠΠ[ΙΟΥ ΥΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ] (of Agrippa, son of the King); bust of young Agrippa II to l. / Inverted anchor, LZ (year 7 = 42/43 AD) in fields. Hendin 1247. TJC 123. AJC II 250, 4 (misattributed). RPC 4987. Samuels 65 (this coin). Rough surfaces. Good Fine.

Once attributed to Agrippa II, the correct identity of this extremely rare coin was explained by Robert Deutsch INJ (1986-87): 36-37. Estimate: \$10,000

Remarkable Preservation



- 20144 Agrippa I (37 - 44 AD). Mint of Caesarea Maritima. AE (28mm, 20.36 gm, 1h).** TIBEPION KAAVA KAICAP SEB[ACTOC ΓEPM] (Tiberius Claudius Caesar Augustus Germanicus); laureate bust of Claudius to r. / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΥΣ ΜΕΓΑΣ ΑΓΡΙΠΠΙΑΣ ΦΙΛΟ (the Great King Agrippa, friend of Caesar); distyle temple, LH (year 8 = 43/44 AD) in pediment, within temple, two figures stand facing each other and hold circular objects (pateras?), below, figure kneels l., in center, torso holds another object. TJC 232,125. AJC II 249,10. RPC 4984. Hendin 1249. Samuels 66 (this coin). Very rare and of extraordinary quality. Good Very Fine.

*The word ΚΑΑΥΔ, a part of the emperor's name, is not shown in other examples of this coin type published in the major references.*  
Estimate: \$25,000



- 20145 Agrippa I (37 - 44 AD). Mint of Caesarea Maritima. (25mm, 14.19 gm, 1h).** [TIBEPION KAAVA KAICAP] SEBACTOC ΓEPM (Tiberius Claudius Caesar Augustus Germanicus); laureate bust of Claudius to r. / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΥΣ ΜΕΓΑΣ [ΑΓΡΙΠΠΙΑ]Σ ΦΙΛΟ (the Great King Agrippa, friend of Caesar); distyle temple, LH (year 8 = 43/44 AD) in pediment, within temple, two figures stand facing each other and hold circular objects (pateras?), below, figure kneels l., in center, torso holds another object. Hendin 1249. TJC 232,125. AJC II 249,10. RPC 4984. Nice for issue. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$12,000



## Herod of Chalcis



**20146 Herod of Chalcis (41 - 48 AD).** AE (25mm, 12.66 gm, 12h). ΒΑΣΙΛΕΥ[Σ] ΗΡΩΔ[ΗΣ ΦΙΛΟΚΛΑΥΔΙΟΣ] (*King Herod, friend of Claudius*); diademed bust of Herod of Chalcis to r. / ΚΛΑΥΔΙΩ ΚΑΙΣΑΡΙ ΣΕΒΑΣ ΤΩ ΕΤΙ (for *Claudius Caesar Augustus, year 3 = 43/4 AD*); within a circle and wreath. Hendin 1252. TJC 362. AJC II 280,1. RPC 4778. Samuels 67 (this coin). A spectacular specimen, surely among the finest known of this ruler. About Extremely Fine/Extremely Fine.

*Ex. Superior 9-12-1989 (Heifitz Collection Part II), 2811.*

*Herod of Chalcis (sometimes called Herod III) was the grandson of Herod the Great and younger brother of Herod Agrippa I. At Agrippa's request, Claudius granted him the kingship of Chalcis in Coele-Syria, a land not predominantly inhabited by Jews. Despite this Herod of Chalcis showed a keen interest in the affairs of his Jewish brethren. Josephus reports that he "asked Claudius to give him authority over the Temple and holy vessels and the selection of the high priests, all of which he obtained." Upon his death in 48 CE, Chalcis was inherited by Agrippa II.*  
Estimate: \$35,000



- 20147 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD) under Claudius. Pre-Royal series. AE (23mm, 12.81 gm, 12h).** Mint of Caesarea Paneas. [TI CLAVDI]VS CAESAR AVG PM [TR P IMP PP]; laureate head of Claudius to l. / [ANTONIA] BRITANNICVS OCTAVIA; Brittanicus flanked by Antonia, on l., and Octavia (the three children of Claudius), each holds a cornucopia. Hendin 1259. TJC 350. AJC II. Supp. IX,1. RPC I 4842. Samuels 208 (this coin). Obverse fields rough, reverse fields smoothed. Fine/Very Fine. Estimate: \$2,000



- 20148 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Pre-Royal series. Mint of Tiberias. AE (19mm, 6.40 gm, 12h).** TIBE PIAC (Tiberias) within a wreath / ΚΛΑΥΔΙΟΥ [KAICA]POC (of Claudius Caesar); L II (year 13 = 53/54 AD) in fields; palm branch upright. Hendin 1266. TJC 347. AJC II 279,5. RPC 4851. Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,200



- 20149 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Pre-Royal series. Mint of Tiberias. AE (14mm, 3.09 gm, 12h).** TIBE PIAC (Tiberias) within a wreath / ΚΛΑΥΔΙΟΥ KAICAPOC (of Claudius Caesar); L II (year 13 = 53/54 AD) in fields; palm branch upright. Hendin 1268. TJC 349. AJC II 279,7. RPC 4853. Samuels 68 (this coin). Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,200



- 20150 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Pre-Royal series. Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE (20mm, 5.08 gm, 12h).** DIVA POPPAEA AVG; distyle temple, female figure seated l. within / DIVA C[LAVD] NER F; round hexastyle temple, female figure stands l. within, holds cornucopia. Hendin 1270. TJC 354. AJC II -. RPC 4846. Very Fine.

*This is the only coin issued in the name of Claudia, Nero's daughter who died in infancy in 63 AD.*  
Estimate: \$800



- 20151 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Pre-Royal series. Mint of Caesarea Maritima. AE (21mm, 6.96 gm, 12h).** [NEP]ONOC CEBACTOY KAICAPO[C] (Nero Caesar Augustus); laureate, draped bust Nero to r. / ΑΓΡΙΠΠΕΙΝΗC CEBACTHC (of Agrippina Augusta); draped Agrippina II bust to l. Hendin 1272. TJC 360. AJC II -. RPC 4861. Excellent style. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$3,750



- 20152 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE (24mm, 12.66 gm, 12h).** ΝΕΡΩΝ ΚΑΙΣΑΡ ΣΕΒΑΣΤΟ (of Nero Caesar Augustus); laureate bust of Nero to r., lituus in front of face / ΕΠΙ ΒΑCΙΑΕ ΑΓΡΙΠΠΗ ΝΕΡΩ ΝΙΕ (in the time of King Agrippa, Neronias); within a circle and wreath. Hendin 1273. TJC 129. AJC II 250,1. RPC 4988. Dark patina, earthen highlights. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$500



- 20153 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE (18mm, 6.40 gm, 12h).** [ΝΕΡΩΝ ΚΑΙΣΑΡ] ΣΕΒΑΣΤΟ (of Nero Caesar Augustus); laureate bust of Nero to r., lituus in front of face / ΕΠΙ ΒΑCΙΑΕ ΑΓΡΙΠΠΗ ΝΕΡΩ ΝΙΕ (in the time of King Agrippa, Neronias); within a circle and wreath. Hendin 1273. TJC 129. AJC II 250,1. RPC 4988. Rough surfaces. Very Fine.

*This coin and the following two coins were issued to commemorate Agrippa's re-founding of Caesarea Paneas as Neronias. It was once believed that the IE in the reverse legend referred to a date, but this is not correct, instead it is part of NIE, the abbreviation for the name of the mint city Neronias.*  
Estimate: \$400



- 20154 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE (15mm, 3.64 gm, 12h).** ΝΕΡΩΝ [ΚΑΙΣΑΡ ΣΕΒΑ]ΣΤΟ (of Nero Caesar Augustus); laureate bust of Nero to r., lituus in front of face / ΕΠΙ ΒΑCΙΑΕ ΑΓΡΙΠΠΗ ΝΕΡΩ ΝΙΕ (in the time of King Agrippa, Neronias); within a circle and wreath. Hendin 1274. TJC 130. AJC II 250,2. RPC 4989. Uncleaned. Very Fine. Estimate: \$400





- 20155 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Sepphoris. AE (24mm, 11.97 gm, 12h).** ΕΠΙ ΟΥΕΞΠΑΚΙΑΝ[ΟΥ ΕΙΡΗΝ]ΟΠΟΛΙ ΝΕΡΩΝΙΑ ΣΕΠΦΩ (in the time of Vespasian, in Irenopolis-Neronias-Sepphoris); two cornucopias crossed, caduceus between them / ΛΑΙ ΝΕΡΩΝ ΚΛΑΥΔΙΟΥ ΚΑΙΣΑΡΟ C (year 14 of Nero Claudius Caesar = 67/68 AD) within circle and wreath. Hendin 1276. TJC 127. AJC II 279,8. RPC 4849. Samuels 225 (this coin). A splendid example. Natural green patina. About Extremely Fine.

A remarkable coin type struck at the beginning of the Jewish War (66/67-70/71 AD) proclaiming Sepphoris as an "Irenopolis" or city of peace, and also mentioning Vespasian some two years prior to his being named Emperor. This coin thus supports Josephus and Rabbinic writings which state that the Jews of Sepphoris did not support their fellow Jews during the Jewish War. It further supports Rabbinic stories that various Jews predicted Vespasian's future rise to emperor.

Estimate: \$2,000



- 20156 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Sepphoris. AE (20mm, 7.08 gm, 6h).** ΕΠΙ ΟΥΕΞΠΑΚΙΑΝΟΥ ΕΙΡΗΝΟΠΟΛΙ ΝΕΡΩΝΙΑC ΣΕΠΦΩΡ; large SC / ΛΑΙ ΝΕΡΩΝ ΚΛΑΥΔΙΟΥ ΚΑΙΣΑΡΟ C (year 14 of Nero Claudius Caesar = 67/68 AD) within circle and wreath. Hendin 1277. TJC 128. AJC II 279,9. RPC 4850. Very Fine.

Estimate: \$2,500



- 20157 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE (13mm, 1.61 gm, 12h).** ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩC ΜΑΡΚΟΥ ΑΓΡΙΠΠΙΟΥ (of King Marcus Agrippa); hand r., holding ears of barley and fruit / ΕΤΟΥC ΑΙ ΤΟΥ (year 11) surrounding monogram, a combination of K for ΚΑΙ with a horizontal R (year 6), all within diadem (struck 60/61 AD). Hendin 1279. TJC 133. AJC II 248, 6 (misattributed). RPC 4992. Samuels 69 (this coin). Extremely rare and among the best of only a few examples. Good Very Fine.

Agrippa II's Flavian coinage was dated according to two probable eras, beginning in 49 and 60 AD, as explained by Kushnir-Stein (2002). This coin type is struck according to the era beginning in 49, and also a third "minor" era, which apparently began in 54 AD. This era is only known because of this and a second double-dated type. The reverse inscription of this coin can be read as "Caesar, year 11 which is also year 6" or 60/61 AD.

Estimate: \$2,500



- 20158 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Tiberias. AE (18.5mm, 5.66 gm, 12h).** ΒΑ ΑΓΡΙΠΠΑ ΝΙΚ CΕΒ (King Agrippa, victory of Augustus); ΕΤ ΙΕ (year 15 = 69/70 AD) across fields; palm branch upright / ΤΙΒΕ ΠΙΑC within a wreath. Hendin 1280. TJC 134. RPC 2242. Very Rare. Extremely Fine.

It has also been suggested that this coin might have been struck according to an era beginning in 60 AD, and thus dating to 74/75. In the first case, the coin would have been struck just after the Jewish War ended, and, in the second case, it would have been struck in the year after the absolute end of the war when Masada fell in 73 AD. In either case, the iconography, reflecting both the coins of Herod Antipas and the pre-royal issues of Agrippa II struck in Tiberias, suggests that this is a reference to the victory of Agrippa II's Roman allies in the Jewish War.

Estimate: \$3,500





- 20159** Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE (27mm, 17.85 gm, 12h). ΑΥΤΟΚΡΑ ΟΥΕCΠΙΑ[CI KAICAP CE]BACTΩ (for Emperor Vespasian Caesar Augustus); laureate bust of Vespasian to r. / ΕΤΟΥ ΚΣ ΒΑ ΑΓΡΙ ΠΙΙΑ (year 26, King Agrippa = 74/75 AD) in fields; Tyche-Demeter stands l. wearing kalathos, holding grain ears in r. hand and cornucopia in l., crescent in upper left field. Hendin 1282 (no crescent). TJC 158a. AJC II 259,30a. Very Fine. Estimate: \$900



- 20160** Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE (29mm, 19.77 gm, 12h). ΑΥΤΟΚΡΑ ΟΥΕCΠΙΑ[CI KAICAP CEBACTΩ (for Emperor Vespasian Caesar Augustus); laureate bust of Vespasian to r. / ΕΤΟΥ [ΚΣ ΒΑ] ΑΓΡΙ ΠΙΙΑ (year 26, King Agrippa = 74/75 AD); Tyche-Demeter stands l. wearing kalathos, holding grain ears in r. hand and cornucopia in l. Hendin 1283. TJC 159. AJC II 254,31. Samuels 74 (this coin). Unusually large and heavy planchet for this type. Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,200



- 20161** Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE (24mm, 19.77 gm, 12h). ΑΥΤΟΚΡ ΤΙΤΟC KAICAP CEBAC (Emperor Titus Caesar Augustus); laureate bust of Titus to r. / ΕΤΟ ΚΣ ΒΑ ΑΓΡΙ ΠΙΙΑ (year 26, King Agrippa = 74/74 AD) across fields; Nike-Victory advances r., holds wreath in r. hand and palm branch over shoulder in l., star in upper r. field. Hendin 1284a. TJC 160a. AJC II 254-5,32. Samuels 76 (this coin). About Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$900



## Remarkable Double Portrait



**20162 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE (29 X 31mm, 19.37 gm, 12h).** [AYTOKPA KAICAP] TITOC KAICAP ΔOMITIANOC (*Emperors Caesar Titus and Domitian*); confronted laureate busts of Titus on l. and Domitian on r. / BACIAEQC AΓPIΠΠA [ETOYC] KZ (*year 27 = 75/76 AD*); Pan walks l., playing pipes (*syrinx*) held in r. hand and holds *pedum* over l. shoulder, tree trunk on r., small crescent in upper l. field. Hendin 1286. TJC 238, 168 (this coin). AJC II 256, 41 (this coin). Maltiel-Gerstenfeld 184 (this coin). Surely among the best known examples of this great rarity. Dark green patina with earthen fields. Minor roughness, otherwise Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$12,000



- 20163 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE medallion (34mm, 25.21 gm, 12h).** ΑΥΤΟΚΡΑ ΟΥΕCΠΙΑ[CIANΩ KAICA]ΠΙ CEBACTΩ (for Emperor Vespasian Caesar Augustus); laureate, slightly draped bust of Vespasian to r. / ΒΑCΙΑΕΩC ΑΓΡΙΠΠΙΑ-ΕΤΟΥC ΚΖ (of King Agrippa, year 27 = 75/76 AD); Tyche-Fortuna stands l. in military dress, holding cornucopia and rudder stemming from globe, small star in upper l. field. Hendin 1287 (description printed in error). TJC 167. AJC II 256,39. RPC 2282v. Extremely rare. Very Fine.

*This medallion was struck in the second year of Agrippa II's Flavian mint at Caesarea Paneas.*  
Estimate: \$4,500



- 20164 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE (30mm, 17.14 gm, 12h).** ΑΥ[ΤΟΚΡΑ Ο]ΥΕCΠΙΑCΙ KAICAP CEBACTΩ (for Emperor Vespasian Caesar Augustus); laureate bust of Vespasian to r. / ΕΤΟΥ ΚΖ ΒΑ ΑΓΡΙ ΠΠΙΑ (year 27, King Agrippa = 75/76 AD) across fields; Tyche-Demeter stands l. wearing kalathos, holding grain ears in r. hand and cornucopia in l. Hendin 1288. TJC 166. AJC II 256,38. RPC 2285. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,200



- 20165 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE (19mm, 5.51 gm, 12h).** ΔΟΜΙΤΙΑΝ ΚΑΙCΑΡ (Domitian Caesar); laureate bust of Domitian to r. / ΕΤΟ ΚΖ ΒΑ ΑΓΡΙΠΠΙΑ (year 27, King Agrippa = 75/76 AD); Nike-Victory stands r., l. foot on helmet, writes on shield which rests on her l. knee; star in upper r. Hendin 1290. TJC 170. AJC II 256,42. RPC 2286. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$350



- 20166 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE (17mm, 4.23 gm, 12h).** ΔΟΜΙΤΙΑΝΟC ΚΑΙCΑΡ (Domitian Caesar); laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust of Domitian to r. / ΑΓΡΙΠΠΙΑ ΕΤΟ ΚΖ (King Agrippa, year 27); double cornucopias crossed at base, ΒΑ between them. Hendin 1291. TJC 171. AJC II 256,43. RPC 2287. Rare. Uncleaned Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,200



- 20167 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE (27mm, 17.12 gm, 12h).** ΑΥΤΟΚΡΑ ΟΥΕ[CΠΙΑ]CΙ KAICAP CEBACTΩ (for Emperor Vespasian Caesar Augustus); laureate bust of Vespasian to r. / ΕΤΟΥ ΚΘ ΒΑ ΑΓΡΙ ΠΠΙΑ (year 29, King Agrippa = 77/78 AD) across fields; Tyche-Demeter stands l. wearing kalathos, holding grain ears in r. hand and cornucopia in l. Hendin 1292. TJC 172. AJC II 257,44. RPC 2288. Samuels 78 (this coin). Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,800



- 20168 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE (25mm, 10.00 gm, 12h).** ΑΥΤΟΚΡ ΤΙΤΟC ΚΑΙCΑΡ CΕΒΑ[CTΩ] (for Emperor Titus Caesar Augustus); laureate, bust of Titus to r. / ΕΤ ΚΘ ΒΑ ΑΓΡΙΠΠΙΑ (year 29, King Agrippa = 77/78 AD) across fields; Nike-Victory advances r., holds wreath in r. hand and palm branch over shoulder in l. Hendin 1293. TJC 173a. AJC II 245,45a. RPC 2291. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$600





- 20169 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE (20mm, 7.16 gm, 12h).** ΔΟΜΙΤΙΑΝΟC ΚΑΙCΑΡ (Domitian Caesar); laureate, draped and cuirassed bust Domitian to r. / ΕΤΟΥ ΚΘ ΒΑ ΑΓΡΙΠΠΙΑ (year 29, King Agrippa); Nike-Victory stands r., l. foot on helmet, writes on shield which rests on her l. knee. Hendin 1294. TJC 175. AJC II 257,48. RPC 2292. Very Fine. Estimate: \$400



- 20170 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE (27mm, 14.77 gm, 12h).** ΑΥΤΟΚΡΑ ΔΟΜΙΤΙΑ ΚΑΙCΑΡ Α ΓΕΡΜΑΝΙ (Emperor Domitian Caesar Germanicus); laureate bust Domitian to r. / ΕΤΟΥ ΕΛ Β[Α] ΑΓΡΙ ΠΠ[Α] (year 35, King Agrippa = 83/84 AD) across fields; Tyche-Demeter stands l. wearing kalathos, holding grain ears in r. hand and cornucopia in l. Hendin 1298. TJC 159. AJC II 258,53. RPC 2296. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,200



- 20171 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE (14mm, 3.03g gm, 6h).** ΑΥΤΟ ΔΟΜΙΤ (Emperor Domitian); laureate bust of Domitian to r. / ΒΑ ΑΓΡ ΕΤ ΕΛ (King Agrippa, year 35 = 83/84 AD) within wreath. Hendin 1300. TJC 182. AJC II 258,56. RPC 2299. Very Fine. Estimate: \$400



- 20172 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Maritima. AE (30mm, 13.48 gm, 12h).** ΑΥΤΟΚΡΑ [ΟΥΕCΠΙΑCΙ ΚΑΙC] ΑΡΙ CΕΒΑCΤΩ (for Emperor Vespasian Caesar Augustus); laureate bust of Vespasian to r. / ΕΤΑΙ ΒΑ ΑΓΡΙΠΠΙΑ (year 14, King Agrippa = 73/74 AD) across fields; Tyche-Demeter stands l. wearing kalathos, holding grain ears in r. hand and cornucopia in l., star in top l. field. Hendin 1301. TJC 135. AJC II 251, 7. RPC 2243. Very Fine plus/Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,200



- 20173 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Maritima. AE (24mm, 13.13 gm, 1h).** ΑΥΤΟΚΡ ΤΙΤΟC ΚΑΙCΑΡ CΕΒΑC (Emperor Titus Caesar Augustus); laureate bust of Titus to r. / ΛΙΑ ΒΑCΙ ΑΓΡ ΙΠΠ (year 14 [= 73/74 AD] of King Agrippa) across fields; Nike-Victory advances r., holding wreath in r. hand and palm branch over shoulder in l. Hendin 1303. TJC 234,138. AJC II 251,8. Samuels 71 (this coin). Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,200



- 20174 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Maritima. AE (25mm, 11.28 gm, 12h).** ΑΥΤΟΚΡ ΤΙΤΟC ΚΑΙCΑΡ CΕΒΑC (Emperor Titus Caesar Augustus); laureate bust of Titus to r. / [ΕΤ] ΗΙ ΒΑ [ΑΓ]Ρ ΙΠΠΙΑ (year 18, King Agrippa = 77/78 AD) across fields; Nike-Victory advances r., holding wreath in r. hand and palm branch over shoulder in l. Hendin 1308. TJC 143. AJC II 252,15. RPC 2255. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$900



- 20175 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Maritima. AE (25mm, 13.30 gm, 11h).** [ΑΥΤ]ΟΚΡ ΤΙΤΟC ΚΑΙCΑΡ CΕΒ[ΑC] (Emperor Titus Caesar Augustus); laureate bust of Titus wearing paludamentum and cuirass to r. / ΕΤ ΗΙ ΒΑ ΑΓΡ ΙΠΠΙΑ (year 18, King Agrippa = 77/78 AD) across fields; Nike-Victory advances r., holding wreath in r. hand and palm branch over shoulder in l. Hendin 1308v. TJC 143v. AJC II 252,15v. RPC 2255v. Pitted, Good Fine.

*The cuirassed bust of Titus is not published for this date.*  
Estimate: \$600



- 20176 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Maritima. AE (19mm, 6.13 gm, 12h).** ΑΥΤ[ΟΚ ΤΙΤΟC ΚΑΙC CEBACT]OC (Emperor Titus Caesar Augustus); laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust of Titus to r. / ΕΤΟ ΙΘ ΒΑ ΑΓΡ ΙΠΠΙΑ (year 19, King Agrippa = 78/79 AD) above galley with oars sailing l. Hendin 1311. TJC 146. AJC II 253,18. RPC 2258. Very Fine.

*This coin and the two that follow it were likely struck to commemorate the voyage of Agrippa and his sister Berenice from Caesarea to Rome, where they hoped and expected that Titus would choose her as his wife. The Roman Senate harbored lingering, negative memories of the role of another oriental princess, Cleopatra VII, and did not permit the marriage. In the words of Suetonius (Titus, 7) "He [Titus] sent Queen Berenice away from Rome, which was painful for both of them."*

Estimate: \$300



- 20177 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Maritima. AE (17mm, 4.69 gm, 12h).** ΔΟΜΙ[ΤΙΑΝΟC ΚΑΙ]CAP (Domitian Caesar); laureate bust of Domitian to r. / ΕΤΟ ΙΘ ΒΑ Α ΓΡΙΠΠΙ Α (year 19, King Agrippa = 78/79 AD) above galley with oars sailing l. Hendin 1312. TJC 148. AJC II 253,20. RPC 2260. Extremely Fine.

Estimate: \$1,200



- 20178 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Maritima. AE (12mm, 2.30 gm, 12h).** CEBACTH (Augusta); Veiled head of Berenice, sister of Agrippa II, to r. / ΛΙΘ ΒΑ (year 19 = 78/79 AD) in fields, inverted anchor. Hendin 1314. TJC 149. AJC II 253,21. RPC 2261. Very Fine.

*The portrait on this coin is often suggested to be Livia, but Maltiel-Gerstenfeld (1980) credibly argued that it was intended as a portrait of Berenice and was struck in anticipation of her forthcoming marriage to Titus and her elevation to the status of CEBACTH (Augusta).*

Estimate: \$1,200



- 20179 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Maritima. AE (24mm, 9.52 gm, 12h).** ΔΟΜΕΤ ΚΑΙCΑΡ ΓΕΡΜΑΝΙ (Domitian Caesar Germanicus); laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust of Domitian to r. / ΕΤΟ ΚΔ ΒΑ ΑΓΡ Ι ΠΠΙΑ (year 24 [84/85 AD], King Agrippa) in fields; Nike-Victory advances r., holding wreath in r. hand and palm branch over shoulder in l. Hendin 1315. TJC 235,150. AJC II 253,22. Samuels 73 (this coin). About Extremely Fine.

Estimate: \$1,200



- 20180 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Maritima. AE (20mm, 6.48 gm, 12h).** ΔΟΜΕΤ ΚΑΙCΑΡ ΓΕΡΜΑΝΙ; laureate bust of Domitian to r. / ΕΤΟ ΚΔ ΒΑ [Α] ΓΡΙΠΠΙ Α (year 24, King Agrippa = 83/84 AD) within wreath. Hendin 1316. TJC 151. AJC II 253,23. RPC 2263. Good Very Fine.

Estimate: \$600



- 20181 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Maritima. AE (15mm, 3.50 gm, 1h).** ΔΟΜΕΤ ΚΑ[ΙC ΓΕΡΜΑΝ] (Domitian Caesar Germanicus); laureate bust of Domitian r. / ΕΤ ΚΕ ΒΑC ΑΓΡ ΙΙΙ (year 25, King Agrippa = 84/85 AD) across fields; eight-branched palm tree with two bunches of dates. Hendin 1320. TJC 156. AJC II 254,28. RPC 2267. Very Fine.

Estimate: \$300



- 20182 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Maritima. AE (11mm, 1.63 gm, 3h).** ΔΟΜΕΤ [ΚΑΙCΑΡ ΓΕΡΜΑΝΙ] (Domitian Caesar Germanicus); laureate bust of Domitian to r. / ΕΤ ΚΕ ΒΑ ΑΓ (year 25, King Agrippa = 85/86 AD) across fields; cornucopia. Hendin 1322. TJC 157. AJC II 254,29. RPC 2268. Very Fine.

Estimate: \$400



- 20183 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Paneas. AE (25mm, 8.71g gm, 1h).** [IMP CAES] DIVI VESP F DOMITIAN [AVG GER COS X]; laureate bust of Domitian r. / SALVTI [EPII BA AΓPI AVGV]ST (for the health of Augustus in the time of King Agrippa), ET KS (year 26 = 85/86 AD) in fields, SC in exergue; square altar. Hendin 1324. TJC 162. AJC II 255,34. RPC 2270. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,200



- 20184 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Maritima. AE (20mm, 5.31 gm, 12h).** IM CA D VES F DOM AV GER COS XII; laureate bust of Domitian to r. / EΠI BA AΓPI (in the time of King Agrippa); ET KS (year 26 = 85/86 AD) in fields; SC (by decree of the senate) below double cornucopias crossed at base, winged caduceus between. Hendin 1325. TJC 163. AJC II 255,35. RPC 2271. Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$350



- 20185 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Maritima. AE (18mm, 5.54 gm, 6h).** IM CA D VES F DOM AV GER COS XII; laureate bust of Domitian to r. / EΠI BA A[ΓPI] (in the time of King Agrippa); ET K[S] (year 26 = 85/86 AD) in fields; SC (by decree of the senate) below double cornucopias crossed at base, winged caduceus between. Hendin 1325. TJC 163. AJC II 255,35. RPC 2271. About Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$350



- 20186 Agrippa II (49/50 - 94/95 AD). Mint of Caesarea Maritima. AE (19mm, 4.42 gm, 6h).** IM CA D VES F DOM AV GER COS XII; laureate bust of Domitian to r. / EPI BA AΓPI (in the time of King Agrippa) around large SC (by decree of the senate); ET KS (year 26 = 85/86 AD) in exergue. Hendin 1326. TJC 164. AJC II 255, 36. About Extremely Fine.

*It is doubtful whether the Roman Senate actually approved the bronze coins of Agrippa II that carried the SC, as was the case with Roman issues, and as the SC (SENATVS CONSVLTO, by decree of the senate) indicates. Rather, these are likely copied from Roman prototypes and retained the conventional SC from bronze coins of this period. SC was also a common feature of Roman Syria provincial bronze coins struck at Antioch.*

Estimate: \$600

## ROMAN PROCURATORS



- 20187 Valerius Gratus under Tiberius (15 - 25 AD). AE (15mm, 1.39 gm, 6h).** KAI CAP (Caesar) within wreath / TIB (Tiberius) LB (year 2 = 15/16 AD) between horns of crossed double cornucopias. Hendin 1332. TJC 316. AJC II 281,6. RPC 4958. Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$250



- 20188 Valerius Gratus under Tiberius (15 - 25 AD). AE (16mm, 1.70 gm, 12h).** IOY AIA (Julia-Julia Livia, mother of Tiberius) within wreath / LB (year 2 = 15/16 AD) flank upright palm branch. Hendin 1333. TJC 317. AJC II 281,8. RPC 4959. Samuels 136 (this coin). Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$300



- 20189 Valerius Gratus under Tiberius (15 - 25 AD). AE (17mm, 1.94 gm, 6h).** IOY A[IA] (Julia) above vine leaf and small bunch of grapes / ΛΔ (year 4 = 17/18 AD) flanks narrow-necked amphora with scroll handles. Hendin 1336. TJC 326. AJC II 282,16. RPC 4953. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$300





- 20190 Valerius Gratus under Tiberius (15 - 25 AD). AE (16mm, 1.88 gm, 12h).** [TIBEPIOC] (*Tiberius*) above vine leaf on tendril / KAICAP (*Caesar*) above, ΛΔ (*year 4 = 17/18 AD*) flanks kantharos with scroll handles. Hendin 1337. TJC 325. AJC II 282,15. RPC 4952. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$250



- 20191 Valerius Gratus under Tiberius (15 - 25 AD). AE (15mm, 1.70 gm, 12h).** TIB KAI CAP (*Tib[erius] Caesar*) within wreath tied at base with an X / IOY ΛΙΑ (*Julia*) and ΛΕ (*year 5 = 18/19 AD*) across fields palm branch curves to r. Hendin 1339. TJC 328. AJC II 282,18. RPC 4965. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$150



- 20192 Pontius Pilate under Tiberius (26 - 36 AD). AE (16mm, 2.36 gm, 12h).** TIBEPIOY KAICAPOC ΛΙς (*of Tiberius Caesar, year 16 = 29/30 AD*); libation ladle (*simpulum*) / IOYΛΙΑ KAICAPOC (*Julia the Queen*); three bound ears of grain, the outer two droop. Hendin 1341. TJC 331. AJC II 283,21. RPC 4967. Samuels 137 (this coin). Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$400



- 20193 Pontius Pilate under Tiberius (26 - 36 AD). AE (16mm, 2.53 gm, 12h).** ΛΙΖ (*year 17 = 30/31 AD*) within wreath / TIBEPIOY KAICAP (*of Tiberius Caesar*); lituus. Hendin 1342. TJC 333. AJC II 283,23. RPC 4968. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$300



- 20194 Pontius Pilate under Tiberius (26 - 36 AD). AE (16mm, 1.62 gm, 3h).** ΛΙΖ (*year 17 = 30/31 AD*) within wreath, retrograde / TIBEPIOY KAICAPOC (*of Tiberius Caesar*); lituus, fully retrograde. Hendin 1342d. TJC 333g. AJC II 283,23g. Irregular issue. Very Fine.

*For a full discussion of the irregular bronze coins of Judaea see Hendin (2009).  
Estimate: \$400*





## The Jewish War

The Jewish War against Rome was a major event in world history and we are lucky that the works of Flavius Josephus, a Jewish general from the Galilee who became a camp follower and even courtier to Vespasian and Titus, have survived. Josephus wrote an entire history of the Jews, but his writing about the Jewish War is of special interest since he lived through it.

Prefects and Procurators of Rome heaped abuses upon the Jews during their years of power, between 6 and 66 AD. During the summer of 66 AD the procurator Gessius Florus conscripted 17 talents of silver from the Temple treasury. This ignited an explosion against the Roman overlords and their local representatives. It is possible that this dispute might have been settled since the Jewish King Agrippa II (a strong ally of Rome) came to Jerusalem when he heard that many Jews were killed while protesting Florus' treachery. With his sister Berenice, Agrippa urged the Jews to comply with the wishes of Rome, which they might have been able to negotiate. But they were not able to hold off the resentment, and soon the great war broke out.

Coins of the Jewish War are fascinating for many reasons. First, they represent the first time that a sovereign Jewish government struck silver coins. Second, the coins were struck and dated consecutively in five years. The bronze coins of the fourth year have often been described as the first series of siege coins ever minted.

Early Zionist slogans ("for the freedom of Jerusalem," "for the redemption of Zion," etc.) have been memorialized on these coins and their use suggests that the Jewish leaders had a clear understanding of how to use coins as a method of communications.

Silver shekels and half-shekels were struck in each of the five years of the war. Evidence suggests that these coins may have been struck within the complex of the Jerusalem Temple itself, and they were used to replace the Tyre shekels and half-shekels that had been used until that time.

Workmanship in the manufacture of the Jewish shekels was unusually high, especially given the dire circumstances for the besieged Jews. The bronze prutah coins of the second and third years are of excellent design, and strong weight, but often were manufactured carelessly. This is not as true of the larger denomination bronze coins issued during the fourth year, which are invariably made from well engraved dies and nicely struck.

The designs struck upon the coins of the Jewish war relate to the Temple or the holiday of Sukkot (Feast of Tabernacles or Feast of Booths). Sukkot was the most significant of three pilgrimage festivals (also including Passover and Shavout [Pentecost]) that were celebrated during the days of the Second Temple in Jerusalem. Sukkot also plays a role in the New Testament as background for one of Jesus' appearances in Jerusalem (John 7:2-3).

The chalice on the shekels may well be an "omer cup" as Romanoff suggests, but it is equally likely it is a ceremonial chalice from the Temple. The pomegranates on the reverse are apparently a priestly scepter. —dh

Prototype Year One Shekel, One of Two Known Specimens



**20195 Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AR shekel (24mm, 13.34 gm, 10h).** Year 1. לַפְּנֵימָל לְפָנִים (shekel of Israel); פ (year 1) above ritual chalice with smooth, wide rim, pellet on either side, the base has pearly ends, circle of dots all around chalice and also outer legend / יְרוּשָׁלַיִם קְדֻשָׁה (Jerusalem [the] holy); staff with three pomegranate buds, round base, circle of dots all around pomegranates and also around outer legend. Hendin 1352. TJC 183 (this coin). AJC II 259,1 (this coin). Samuels 79 (this coin). Good Extremely Fine.

Ex. Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 56.

*This is one of two known examples of a prototype design for the first shekel struck by the Jews in the Jewish War. The other known specimen is in the collection of the The Israel Museum, Jerusalem. The type was unknown until the two specimens were discovered in the late 1970s, both struck from the same set of dies. The extreme rarity suggests the issue was very small, perhaps limited to a few trial strikes in the manner of a modern pattern. Both the Shoshana and Israel Museum specimens display similar centering, with the reverse slightly off-center to left, suggesting the moneymakers in Jerusalem had not yet perfected their techniques for striking such large silver pieces. While the major elements of the design were retained in the second generation issues, subsequent shekels were greatly simplified, with the inner dotted border removed and the Paleo Hebrew lettering rendered in a much less elaborate style. Estimate: \$950,000*





**20196 Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AR shekel (24mm, 14.40 gm, 12h).** Year 1.  $\text{לִפְנֵימֶלֶךְ}$   $\text{לְיִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (*shekel of Israel*);  $\text{א}$  ([year] 1 = 66-70 AD) above ritual chalice with wide, smooth rim, pellet on either side, flat base with pearled ends /  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$   $\text{קְדִישָׁה}$  (*Jerusalem [the] holy*); staff with three pomegranate buds, round base. Hendin 1353. TJC 184. AJC II 259,2. Samuels 80 (this coin). Good Very Fine.

*Nice bold example of the transitional style shekel of the first year.*  
Estimate: \$12,000



**20198 Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AR shekel (24mm, 13.89 gm, 12h).** Year 1.  $\text{לִפְנֵימֶלֶךְ}$   $\text{לְיִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (*shekel of Israel*);  $\text{א}$  ([year] 1) above ritual chalice with smooth, wide rim, pellet on either side, the base has pearled ends, circle of dots /  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$   $\text{קְדִישָׁה}$  (*Jerusalem [the] holy*); stem with three pomegranates, pearl at base, circle of dots. Hendin 1354. TJC 187. AJC II 259,3 (this coin). About Extremely Fine.

*This and the previous lot display a more developed form, with a smaller, more rounded chalice and simplified lettering.*  
Estimate: \$12,000



**20197 Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AR shekel (25mm, 13.79g gm, 12h).** Year 1.  $\text{לִפְנֵימֶלֶךְ}$   $\text{לְיִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (*shekel of Israel*);  $\text{א}$  ([year] 1 = 66-70 AD) above ritual chalice with wide, smooth rim, pellet on either side, flat base with pearled ends /  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$   $\text{קְדִישָׁה}$  (*Jerusalem [the] holy*); staff with three pomegranate buds, round base. Hendin 1354. TJC 187. AJC II 259, 3. Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$15,000



**20199 Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AR half-shekel (19mm, 6.50 gm, 10 h).** Year 1.  $\text{לִפְנֵימֶלֶךְ}$   $\text{חֲצִי שֶׁקֶל}$  (*half of a shekel*);  $\text{א}$  ([year] 1 = 66-70 AD) above ritual chalice with smooth rim, pellet on either side, flat base with pearled ends /  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$   $\text{קְדִישָׁה}$  (*Jerusalem [the] holy*); staff with three pomegranate buds, round base. Hendin 1355. TJC 188. AJC II 259,6. Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$12,000



**20200 Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AR half-shekel (20.5mm, 6.50 gm, 10 h).** Year 1.  $\text{לִפְנֵימֶלֶךְ}$   $\text{חֲצִי שֶׁקֶל}$  (*half of a shekel*);  $\text{א}$  ([year] 1 = 66-70 AD) above ritual chalice with smooth rim, pellet on either side, flat base with pearled ends /  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$   $\text{קְדִישָׁה}$  (*Jerusalem [the] holy*); staff with three pomegranate buds, round base. Hendin 1355. TJC 188. AJC II 259,6. Samuels 82 (this coin). Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$12,000

Year One Quarter-Shekel, One of Two Known



**20201 Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AR quarter-shekel (16mm, 3.13 gm, 9h).** Year 1.  $\text{לפ"פ} \quad \text{קס"ג}$  (quarter of a shekel);  $\text{א}$  ([year] 1) above ritual chalice with smooth, wide rim, pellet on either side, the base has pearly ends /  $\text{קדש ירושלם}$  (Jerusalem [the] holy); staff with three pomegranate buds, round base. Hendin 1356 (this coin). TJC 186 (this coin). AJC II 260,7 (this coin). Samuels 83 (this coin). One of two known. Choice Very Fine.

*Ex. Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 62.*

*This is the better of two known examples of a quarter-shekel struck during the first year of the Jewish War, 66/67 AD. (The second example, which has a repaired hole, is shown in AJC and TJC, and is located in a private collection in Israel.) Its existence suggests that the original plan was for the rebel Jewish mint in Jerusalem to issue three denominations of silver coins-shekels, half-shekels and quarter-shekels. Possibly because of the difficult circumstances, the quarter shekels were never struck in significant numbers. During the siege of the fourth year of the war (69/70 AD), silver quarter-shekels were once again struck in extremely small numbers (3-4 known example) and, additionally, fiduciary siege money bronze quarter-shekels were also struck.*  
Estimate: \$850,000





- 20202 Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AR shekel (24mm, 13.88 gm, 12h).** Year 2. לְפָנֶיךָ יְיָ (shekel of Israel); שָׁנָא (year 2 = 67/68 AD) above ritual chalice with pearled rim, the base is raised by projections on ends / יְרוּשָׁלַיִם הַקְּדוּשָׁה (Jerusalem the holy); staff with three pomegranate buds, round base. Hendin 1358. TJC 193. AJC II 260,8. Extremely Fine.

*By the second year of the Jewish War, the Jerusalem shekel reached its final form, with the ritual chalice losing the distinctive pellets to either side but gaining a pearled rim and a footed base.*  
Estimate: \$12,000



- 20203 Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AR shekel (24mm, 14.20 gm, 12 h).** Year 2. לְפָנֶיךָ יְיָ (shekel of Israel); שָׁנָא (year 2 = 67/68 AD) above ritual chalice with pearled rim, the base is raised by projections on ends / יְרוּשָׁלַיִם הַקְּדוּשָׁה (Jerusalem the holy); staff with three pomegranate buds, round base. Hendin 1358. TJC 193. AJC II 260,8. Some horn silver deposits in fields, otherwise good very Fine.  
Estimate: \$10,000



- 20204 Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AR half-shekel (19mm, 7.08 gm, 12h).** Year 2. לְפָנֶיךָ יְיָ (half of a shekel); שָׁנָא (year 2 = 67/68 AD) above ritual chalice with pearled rim, the base is raised by projections on ends. יְרוּשָׁלַיִם הַקְּדוּשָׁה (Jerusalem the holy); staff with three pomegranate buds, round base. Hendin 1359. TJC 195. AJC II 260,10. Samuels 85 (this coin). Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$12,000



- 20205 Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AE prutah (16mm, 2.43 gm, 6 h).** Year 2. שָׁנָא שְׁנִי (year two = 67/68 AD); amphora with broad rim and two handles / חֵירוּת צִיּוֹן (the freedom of Zion); vine leaf on small branch with tendril. Hendin 1360. TJC 196a, AJC II 260,11a. Samuels 86 (this coin). Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$700



- 20206 Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AE prutah (15mm, 2.10 gm, 6h).** Year 2. שָׁנָא שְׁנִי (year two = 67/68 AD); amphora with broad rim and two handles / חֵירוּת צִיּוֹן (the freedom of Zion); vine leaf on small branch with tendril. Hendin 1360b. TJC 196c var. AJC II 261,13c var. Samuels 86 (this coin). Irregular issue. Good Very Fine.

*The paleo-Hebrew inscriptions as well as the motifs are blundered with at least partially retrograde legends.*  
Estimate: \$250





**20207 Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AR shekel (23mm, 14.18 gm, 12 h).** Year 3. לְפָנֶיךָ יִשְׂרָאֵל (shekel of Israel); ג' (year 3 = 68/69 AD) above ritual chalice with pearled rim, the base is raised by projections on ends / יְרוּשָׁלַיִם קְדֻשָּׁה (Jerusalem the holy); staff with three pomegranate buds, round base. Hendin 1361. TJC 202. AJC II 261,18. Samuels 87 (this coin). Superb. Estimate: \$12,500



**20208 Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AR shekel (24mm, 13.89 gm, 12 h).** Year 3. לְפָנֶיךָ יִשְׂרָאֵל (shekel of Israel); ג' (year 3 = 68/69 AD) above ritual chalice with pearled rim, the base is raised by projections on ends / יְרוּשָׁלַיִם קְדֻשָּׁה (Jerusalem the holy); staff with three pomegranate buds, round base. Hendin 1361. TJC 202. AJC II 261,18. Superb. Estimate: \$12,000



**20209 Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AR half-shekel (18mm, 6.64 gm, 12 h).** Year 3. לְפָנֶיךָ יִשְׂרָאֵל (half of a shekel); ג' (year 3 = 68/69 AD) above ritual chalice with pearled rim, the base is raised by projections on ends. יְרוּשָׁלַיִם קְדֻשָּׁה (Jerusalem the holy); staff with three pomegranate buds, round base. Hendin 1362. TJC 203. AJC II 261,19. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$10,000



**20210 Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AR half-shekel (18mm, 6.49 gm, 12 h).** Year 3. לְפָנֶיךָ יִשְׂרָאֵל (half of a shekel); ג' (year 3 = 68/69) above ritual chalice with pearled rim, the base is raised by projections on ends / יְרוּשָׁלַיִם קְדֻשָּׁה (Jerusalem the holy); staff with three pomegranate buds, round base. Hendin 1362. TJC 203. AJC II 261,19. Samuels 88 (this coin). Superb. Estimate: \$13,000

## Shekel of Year Four



**20211 Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AR shekel (23mm, 14.30 gm, 1h).** Year 4. לְיָמֵינוּ לְיִשְׂרָאֵל (*shekel of Israel*); 4 (year 4 = 69/70 AD) above ritual chalice with pearly rim, the base is raised by projections on ends / יְרוּשָׁלַיִם קְדֻשָּׁהּ (*Jerusalem the holy*); staff with three pomegranate buds, round base. Hendin 1364. TJC 207. AJC II 262,23. Samuels 89 (this coin). Extremely Fine.

*Ex. Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg II), 72.*

*Production of silver coins at the Jerusalem Temple appears to have dropped sharply in the fourth year, when the Jewish War against Rome entered its terminal phase and supplies of precious metal dried up. While the number of recorded specimens for the first three years number in the hundreds, only 40 shekels are known from Year 4. The Shoshana Collection includes three specimens which number among the finest surviving examples, of which two are offered here. Estimate: \$40,000*

## Another Choice Year Four Shekel



**20212** Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AR shekel (24mm, 14.27 gm, 12h). Year 4. *לְפָנֵי שֶׁלֶט* (*shekel of Israel*); *ד' שָׁנָה* (*year 4 = 69/70 AD*) above ritual chalice with pearly rim, the base is raised by projections on ends / *יְרוּשָׁלַיִם קְדֻשָּׁה* (*Jerusalem the holy*); staff with three pomegranate buds, round base. Hendin 1364. TJC 207. AJC II 262,23. Samuels 89 (this coin). Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$55,000



## Half-Shekel of Year Four, One of Six Recorded Specimens



**20213 Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AR half shekel (18mm, 6.78 gm, 10h).** Year 4. ל פ W ע ר ג מ (half of a shekel); ג W (year 4) above ritual chalice with pearly rim, the base is raised by projections on ends / ע W + ג פ ע ש ר W + ג ר (Jerusalem the holy); staff with three pomegranate buds, round base. Hendin 1365. TJC 209. AJC 262,25. Samuels 980 (this coin). Very Rare. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-10-1992 (Bromberg II), 383.*

*Ex Sotheby's 6-9-1983 (Brand III), 147.*

*Ex Ref. E. Rogers Collection, purchased from Spink & Son 1916.*

*Ex Prowe Part II, 11-28-1904, 2618.*

*Judaean moneyers made a brave attempt to continue production of all silver denominations in the fourth year of the great conflict, even briefly reviving production of the silver quarter shekel. The numbers were sharply diminished, however. Only six examples of the half-shekel from Year Four are known to have survived, with this specimen among the finest. With silver stocks dwindling, an expediant was found in the production of bronze fractions of the shekel (see next six lots).*

Estimate: \$325,000

Rare Bronze Half-Shekel of Year Four



**20214** Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AE half-shekel (25mm, 15.16 gm, 12h). Year 4. רב' שנת ד' (year four, half = 69/70 AD); two lulav bunches flank an etrog (citron) / ל'פד' (to the redemption of Zion); Seven-branched palm tree with two bunches of dates, flanked by baskets of dates. Hendin 1367. TJC 211. AJC II 262,27. Samuels 91 (this coin). An extraordinary example. Extremely Fine.

*By the fourth year of the war the Jews in Jerusalem were in a desperate situation, not only fighting off the Romans but battling each other in an intense civil war described in detail by Josephus. In these extraordinary times, fiduciary bronze fractions of the shekel were minted. According to Newell these bronze fractions comprise the world's first siege money.*

Estimate: \$32,500

Bronze Half-Shekel, Ex-Bromberg



**20215** Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AE half-shekel (27mm, 16.99 gm, 1h). Year 4. רב' שנת ד' (year four, half = 69/70 AD); two lulav bunches flank an etrog (citron) / ל'פד' (to the redemption of Zion); Seven-branched palm tree with two bunches of dates, flanked by baskets of dates. Hendin 1367. TJC 211. AJC II 262, 27. Brown patina. Good Very Fine.

*Ex. Superior Galleries 5-12-1991 (Bromberg Part I), 73.*  
Estimate: \$15,000



**20216 Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AE quarter-shekel (23mm, 8.82 gm, 12h).** Year 4.  $\text{לולב} \times \text{עֵטָו}$  (*year four-quarter = 69/70 AD*); two lulav bunches /  $\text{לְפָדוֹם צִיּוֹן}$  (*to the redemption of Zion*); etrog. Hendin 1368. TJC 213. AJC II 262,24. Samuels 92 (this coin). Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$5,000



**20217 Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AE eighth-shekel (20mm, 6.58 gm, 12h).** Year 4.  $\text{לולב} \times \text{עֵטָו}$  (*year four*); lulav bunch flanked by an etrog on either side /  $\text{לְפָדוֹם צִיּוֹן}$  (*to the redemption of Zion*); chalice with pearled rim. Hendin 1369. TJC 214. AJC II 262,30. Samuels 93 (this coin). Extremely Fine.

*Ex. Superior Galleries 5-12-1991 (Bromberg Part I), 77.*  
Estimate: \$1,000



**20218 Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AE eighth-shekel (19mm, 3.58 gm, 11h).** Year 4.  $\text{לולב} \times \text{עֵטָו}$  (*year four*); lulav bunch flanked by an etrog on either side /  $\text{לְפָדוֹם צִיּוֹן}$  (*to the redemption of Zion*); chalice with pearled rim. Hendin 1369. TJC 214. AJC II 262,30. Superb.  
Estimate: \$1,000



**20219 Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AE eighth-shekel (19mm, 5.54 gm, 11h).** Year 4.  $\text{לולב} \times \text{עֵטָו}$  (*year four*); lulav bunch flanked by an etrog on either side /  $\text{לְפָדוֹם צִיּוֹן}$  (*to the redemption of Zion*); chalice with pearled rim. Hendin 1369. TJC 214. AJC II 262,30. About Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$900



## Hunt Specimen Year Five Shekel, Found at Masada



**20220 Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AR shekel (23mm, 13.92 gm, 10h).**  
 Year 5. [פ] שְׁכֶלֶת יִשְׂרָאֵל (shekel of Israel); ה' (year 5) above ritual chalice with pearly rim, the base is raised by projections on ends / ה' שְׁכֶלֶת יִשְׂרָאֵל (Jerusalem the holy); staff with three pomegranate buds, round base. Hendin 1370. TJC 215. AJC 263,31. Samuels 94 (this coin). Very rare. Very Fine.

*Ex Sotheby's 6-19-1990 (Nelson Bunker Hunt), 116 (said to be "found at Masada").*

*The year 5 shekel is a great rarity, and along with the menorah bronze, are the most storied coins in the Judaeen series. The silver shekels dated to the fifth year were struck in the months just before Titus and his troops captured Jerusalem and burned the Temple in July of 71 AD. It is probable that large numbers of these just-struck coins were carried back to Rome as part of the booty (which would eventually finance the Colosseum as well as other building projects). There were several year 5 shekels among the coins excavated at Masada. It is therefore known that at least some Jewish fighters broke the siege to escape Jerusalem just around the time it fell. These coins continued in use until Masada fell to the Roman legions in 73 AD.*  
 Estimate: \$250,000

## A Second Year Five Shekel



**20221 Jewish War (66 - 70 AD). AR shekel (22mm, 13.30 gm, 1h).**  
 Year 5. לְפָנֶיךָ יְיָ (shekel of Israel); ה' (year 5 = 70/71 AD)  
 above ritual chalice with pearly rim, the base is raised by pro-  
 jections on ends / הַיְיָ הַקָּדוֹשׁ הַיְיָ הַקָּדוֹשׁ (Jerusalem the holy);  
 staff with three pomegranate buds, round base. Hendin 1370.  
 TJC 215. AJC II 263,31. Brand 3 (Sotheby's 9-6-1983, 108 (same  
 dies). Bromberg II, 309 (same obverse die). Slightly corroded sur-  
 faces. Extremely rare. Good Very Fine.

*Ex Leu 91, 5-10/11 2004, 288.*  
 Estimate: \$175,000

*End of Session One*

## SESSION TWO

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## Bar Kokhba Revolt

Every coin struck by the administration during the Bar Kokhba Revolt was struck upon a coin already in circulation; these included local bronzes, Roman denarii, provincial drachms and tetradrachms. The apparent reason was that Bar Kokhba's hastily assembled government was able to manage to get dies engraved and blacksmiths to strike the coins; they did not have the time or resources to set up a full-fledged mint with smelting and casting capabilities.

Coins of Bar Kokhba are of special historic interest. Until the discovery of the Bar Kokhba letters, in a cave near the Dead Sea in the 1960s, his first name was known to be Simon only because of its appearance on coins. In the Talmud and other documents he was known only as bar Kokhba or ben Kosiba. In Hebrew "bar" means "son of" and "ben" has the same meaning in Aramaic. The Bar Kokhba letters proved that his actual name was Simon ben Kosiba. It is interesting, however, that ancient writers who lived after him referred to him in either one of two ways: "Bar Kokhba" which literally means son of the star, and this reflects his supposed messianic status that was widely accepted during the early part of the war when Hadrian's troops were being routed. Very shortly, however, the largely guerilla forces led by bar Kokhba fell on hard times. Many of his followers became disillusioned and he was frequently referred to as ben Koziba, "son of the lie."

Like the coins of the Jewish War, coins of the Bar Kokhba Revolt focus mainly on symbolism related to the Feast of Tabernacles. The significant exception is the depiction of the Jerusalem Temple on the obverse of the large silver coins, known as sela'im (singular sela). Above the Temple on each of these coins is a cross, a star, or a wavy line. Early literature suggested that the star might be related to the "son of the star" nickname, but in fact that name did not apparently come into use until well after the revolt was quelled and Bar Kokhba killed. Nor were these simple design elements for filling space.

The Mishnah says that "a golden vine was positioned over the entrance to the sanctuary and hung over the beams" (Midot 3:8). Rabbi Isadore Goldstein noted that only the vine was initially hung, and the golden grapes and vine leaves were added as donations from the people. Thus he suggests that the schematic view shown on the coins was a look at the sanctuary, a view that could be seen from the Temple courtyard.

Another portion of the Mishnah (Yoma 3.10) says, "Helena set a golden candelabra over the door of the Sanctuary." This refers to a gift from Helena, queen of Adiabene, a converted Jew who visited Jerusalem and was buried there around 56 AD. Rabbinic literature says that this candelabrum sparkled with rays and reflected light that could be seen from all around Jerusalem. Thus the cross or star above the Temple on this coin most likely represents an artist's interpretation of the twinkling, golden candelabra. —dh



Year One Bar Kokhba Sela, Mildenberg 1



**20222 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (26mm, 14.68 gm, 12h).** First year (132/133 AD). **יְרוּשָׁלַיִם** (*Jerusalem*) on three sides of facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / **לִפְנֵימֶנֶס** **יְהוָה** **יְהוָה** **יְהוָה** (*year one of the redemption of Israel*); *lulav with etrog at left*. Mildenberg 123,1. Hendin 1373. TJC 218b (these dies). AJC 264,1b (these dies). Rare. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$85,000

Year One Sela, Ex Bromberg II



**20223 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (24mm, 14.07 gm, 12h).** First year (132/133 AD). *יְרוּשָׁלַיִם* (*Jerusalem*) on three sides of facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / *לְשָׁנָה אֶחָדָה אֶחָדָה אֶחָדָה* (*year one of the redemption of Israel*); *lulav* with *etrog* at left. Mildenberg 124,3.5 (this coin). Hendin 1373. TJC 218 (these dies). AJC 264,1 (these dies). Samuels 97 (this coin). Rare. Superb.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg II), 79.*  
Estimate: \$125,000

## Magnificent Year One Sela



**20224** Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 14.78 gm, 12h). First year (132/133 AD). *יְרוּשָׁלַיִם* (Jerusalem) on three sides of facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / *לְשָׁנָה אֶחָדָה* (year one of the redemption of Israel = 132/133 AD); *lulav* with *etrog* at left. Mild. 2 (these dies). Hendin 1373. TJC 218. AJC II 264,1a (these dies). Samuels 96 (this coin). A simply magnificent specimen. Superb.  
Estimate: \$180,000



## A Fourth Year One Sela



**20225 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (23mm, 14.35 gm, 12h).** First year (132/133 AD).  $\text{שְׁלֹשָׁה שָׁנִים}$  (*Jerusalem*) on three sides of facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לְשָׁנָה אֶחָדָה לְשָׁנַת חֻטְיָא}$  (*year one of the redemption of Israel*); lulav with etrog at left. Mildenberg 125,4.1 (this coin). Hendin 1373. TJC 218c (this coin). AJC 264,1c (this coin). Samuels 98 (this coin). Rare. Superb.

*Ex. A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$125,000

## Year One Zuz, Ex Kollek



**20226 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.05 gm, 6h).**  
 First year (132/133 AD). *יְהוֹאָזֵבֶד הַכֹּהֵן* (Eleazar the priest); jug with handle, willow branch at r. / *שָׁנָה אֶחָד לְשָׁנַת חֲדָשׁוֹת יִשְׂרָאֵל* (year one of the redemption of Israel = 132/133 AD); bunch of grapes with branch and small leaf. Mild. 172,2.9 (this coin). Hendin 1374. TJC 219. AJC II 264, 2. Extremely rare. Good very Fine.

*Ex Leu 86, 5-6 May, 2003 (Teddy Kollek Collection), 544.*  
 Estimate: \$80,000

Full Fluting, Complete Legends



**20227 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE large bronze (30mm, 18.00 gm, 12h).** First year (132/133 AD).  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$   $\text{שְׁנַת}$  (Jerusalem) within a wreath /  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$   $\text{שְׁנַת}$   $\text{אֶחָד}$  (year one of the redemption of Israel); amphora with two handles. Mildenberg 298,12. Hendin 1375. Slight flat strike due to previous coin. Extremely Fine.

*Ex. Leu Numismatics 95, 10-25-05, lot 736.*  
Estimate: \$25,000

A Remarkable Offering of 'Abu Jara' Bronzes



**20228 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE large bronze (31mm, 17.79 gm, 12h).** First year (132/133 AD).  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$   $\text{שְׁנַת}$  (Jerusalem) within a wreath /  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$   $\text{שְׁנַת}$   $\text{אֶחָד}$  (year one of the redemption of Israel); amphora with two handles. Mildenberg 128,15(?). Hendin 1375. Samuels 101 (this coin). Good Very Fine.

*The coin has been aggressively cleaned and lightly tooled. It seems to be a match to the dies of Mildenberg 128,15.*  
Estimate: \$18,000



**20229 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE large bronze (30mm, 26.40 gm, 1h).** First year (132/133 AD).  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$   $\text{שְׁנַת}$   $\text{אֶחָד}$  (Simon, Prince of Israel) within a wreath /  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$   $\text{שְׁנַת}$   $\text{אֶחָד}$  (year one of the redemption of Israel = 132/133 AD); amphora with two handles. Mildenberg 294,1 (these dies). Hendin 1376. TJC 220b. AJC II 264,3. Rare. Fine plus.

*Ex Leu 95, 25 October, 2005, 734.*  
Estimate: \$12,000





**20230 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE large bronze (33mm, 41.55 gm, 12h).** First year (132/133 AD).  $\text{לפגולל פגולל}$   $\text{גפגולל}$  (Simon, Prince of Israel) within a wreath /  $\text{לפגולל}$   $\text{לפגולל}$   $\text{לפגולל}$   $\text{לפגולל}$  (year one of the redemption of Israel); amphora with two handles. Hendin 1376. Mildenberg 294,1.13 (same dies). TJC 220a. AJC II 264,3. Rare. Good Very Fine.

*A massive example, at 41.55 grams, one of the heaviest examples of this type recorded.*  
Estimate: \$18,000

### Ex Bromberg Abu Jara



**20231 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE large bronze (31mm, 25.79 gm, 12h).** First year (132/133 AD).  $\text{לפגולל}$   $\text{פגולל}$   $\text{גפגולל}$  (Simon, Prince of Israel) within a wreath /  $\text{לפגולל}$   $\text{לפגולל}$   $\text{לפגולל}$   $\text{לפגולל}$  (year one of the redemption of Israel = 132/133 AD); amphora with two handles. Mildenberg 295,2 (these dies). Hendin 1376. Samuels 100 (this coin). Superior to most known specimens and certainly better than Mildenberg plate specimen. Extremely Fine plus.

*Ex. A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$30,000



**20232 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE large bronze (30mm, 20.97 gm, 12h).** First year (132/133 AD).  $\text{לפגולל}$   $\text{פגולל}$   $\text{גפגולל}$  (Simon, Prince of Israel) within a wreath /  $\text{לפגולל}$   $\text{לפגולל}$   $\text{לפגולל}$   $\text{לפגולל}$  (year one of the redemption of Israel = 132/133 AD); amphora with two handles. Mildenberg 296,7 (these dies). Hendin 1376. Rare. Good Very Fine.

*Ex Ira & Larry Goldberg Sale 5-28/29-2007 (Levin Collection), 2533.*  
Estimate: \$12,000



**20233 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE large bronze (29mm, 17.80 gm, 1h).** First year (132/133 AD).  $\text{לפגולל}$   $\text{פגולל}$   $\text{גפגולל}$  (Simon, Prince of Israel) within a wreath /  $\text{לפגולל}$   $\text{לפגולל}$   $\text{לפגולל}$   $\text{לפגולל}$  (year one of the redemption of Israel = 132/133 AD); amphora with two handles. Mildenberg 296,8 (these dies). Hendin 1376. Rare. Very Fine.

*Ex. LHS 95, 25 October 2005, 735.*  
Estimate: \$12,000



**20234 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE large bronze (30mm, 17.67 gm, 1h).** First year (132/133 AD).  $\text{לפגולל}$   $\text{פגולל}$   $\text{גפגולל}$  (Simon, Prince of Israel) within a wreath /  $\text{לפגולל}$   $\text{לפגולל}$   $\text{לפגולל}$   $\text{לפגולל}$  (year one of the redemption of Israel); amphora with two handles. Mildenberg 297,9 (these dies, three listed). Hendin 1376. TJC 220a. AJC II 264,3. Rare. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$12,000



- 20235 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE large bronze (27mm, 19.60 gm, 12h).** First year (132/133 AD). *לִפְּנֵי שִׁמּוֹן פְּרִינְסֵי אִשְׂרָאֵל* (Simon, Prince of Israel) within a wreath / *לִפְּנֵי שִׁמּוֹן פְּרִינְסֵי אִשְׂרָאֵל* (year one of the redemption of Israel = 132/133 AD); amphora with two handles. Mildenberg 297,10 (these dies). Hendin 1376. Rare. Heavily cleaned. About Very Fine. Estimate: \$10,000



- 20236 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE large bronze (30mm, 32.04 gm, 12h).** First year (132/133 AD). *לִפְּנֵי שִׁמּוֹן פְּרִינְסֵי אִשְׂרָאֵל* (Simon, Prince of Israel) within a wreath / *לִפְּנֵי שִׁמּוֹן פְּרִינְסֵי אִשְׂרָאֵל* (year one of the redemption of Israel = 132/133 AD); amphora with two handles. Cf. Mildenberg 298,11. Hendin 1376. The reverse die is unpublished. Some encrustation. Extremely Rare. Cleaned and repatinated. About Very Fine. Estimate: \$12,500



- 20237 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE large bronze (31mm, 18.79 g, 12h).** First year (132/133 AD). *לִפְּנֵי שִׁמּוֹן פְּרִינְסֵי אִשְׂרָאֵל* (Simon, Prince of Israel) within a wreath / *לִפְּנֵי שִׁמּוֹן פְּרִינְסֵי אִשְׂרָאֵל* (year one of the redemption of Israel = 132/133 AD); amphora with two handles. Hendin 1376. Mildenberg 298,11.2 (this coin, two listed). TJC 220b. AJC II 264,3. Rare. Extremely Fine.

Ex. *Leu* 86, 5-5/6-2003 (T. Kollek Collection), 546.  
Estimate: \$45,000



- 20238 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE middle bronze (24mm, 9.83 gm, 12h).** First year (132/133 AD). *לִפְּנֵי שִׁמּוֹן פְּרִינְסֵי אִשְׂרָאֵל* (Simon Prince of Israel); palm branch within a wreath / *לִפְּנֵי שִׁמּוֹן פְּרִינְסֵי אִשְׂרָאֵל* (year one of the redemption of Israel = 132/133 AD); wide lyre (nevel or chelys) of 6 strings. Mildenberg 302,23 (these dies). Hendin 1377. TJC 223a (these dies). AJC II 265, 6a. Samuels 102 (this coin). Dark brown patina. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$1,800



- 20239 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE middle bronze (23mm, 10.34 gm, 12h).** First year (132/133 AD). *לִפְּנֵי שִׁמּוֹן פְּרִינְסֵי אִשְׂרָאֵל* (Simon Prince of Israel); palm branch within a wreath / *לִפְּנֵי שִׁמּוֹן פְּרִינְסֵי אִשְׂרָאֵל* (year one of the redemption of Israel = 132/133 AD); wide lyre (nevel or chelys) of 6 strings. Mildenberg 302,23 (these dies). Hendin 1377. TJC 223g. AJC II 265, 6a. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,000



- 20240 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE middle bronze (27mm, 9.30 gm, 6h).** First year (132/133 AD). *לִפְּנֵי שִׁמּוֹן פְּרִינְסֵי אִשְׂרָאֵל* (Simon Prince of Israel) across fields; seven-branched palm tree with two bunches of dates / *לִפְּנֵי שִׁמּוֹן פְּרִינְסֵי אִשְׂרָאֵל* (year one of the redemption of Israel = 132/133 AD); vine leaf on tendril. Mildenberg 42 (these dies). Hendin 1378. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,200



- 20241 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE middle bronze (24mm, 14.57 gm, 6h).** First year (132/133 AD). *לִפְּנֵי שִׁמּוֹן פְּרִינְסֵי אִשְׂרָאֵל* (Simon Prince of Israel) across fields; seven-branched palm tree with two bunches of dates / *לִפְּנֵי שִׁמּוֹן פְּרִינְסֵי אִשְׂרָאֵל* (year one of the redemption of Israel = 132/133 AD); vine leaf on tendril. Mildenberg 308,42 (these dies). Hendin 1378. Samuels 103 (this coin). Very Fine.

Ex. *Superior Galleries* 12-9/10-1989 (Jascha Heifitz Collection II), 2902.  
Estimate: \$2,500



- 20242 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE middle bronze (23mm, 9.28 gm, 6h).** First year (132/133 AD).  $\text{SMA}$  (Sma-abbreviating Simon) across fields; seven-branched palm tree with two bunches of dates /  $\text{L F Q W L X L F L X M F X J W}$  (year one of the redemption of Israel = 132/133 AD); vine leaf on tendril. Mildenberg 309,47 (these dies). Hendin 1379. TJC 257 (these dies). AJC II 270, 40 (these dies). Very Fine. Estimate: \$900



- 20243 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE small bronze (20mm, 6.80 gm, 6h).** First year (132/133 AD).  $\text{JEM JE QOLF}$  (Eleazar the priest) across fields; seven-branched palm tree with two bunches of dates /  $\text{L F Q W L X L F L X M F X J W}$  (year one of the redemption of Israel = 132/133 AD); bunch of grapes with branch and small leaf. Mildenberg 329,150 (these dies). Hendin 1380 (these dies). TJC 224 (these dies). AJC II 266, 7 (these dies). Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$850



- 20244 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE small bronze (20mm, 8.05 gm, 6h).** First year (132/133 AD).  $\text{JEM JE QOLF}$  (Eleazar the priest) retrograde across fields; seven-branched palm tree with two bunches of dates /  $\text{L F Q W L X L F L X M F X J W}$  (year one of the redemption of Israel = 132/133 AD); bunch of grapes with branch and small leaf. Mildenberg 327,147 (these dies). Hendin 1380a (these dies). TJC 225 (these dies). AJC II 266, 8 (these dies). Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$1,200

## A Run of Rare Hybrid Year One-Two Zuzim



- 20245 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.37 gm, 6h).** Second year (hybrid with first year obverse) (133/134 AD).  $\text{L F Q W L X L F L X M F X J W}$  (Year one of the redemption of Israel); bunch of grapes with branch and small leaf /  $\text{L F Q W L Q M L J W}$  (year two of the freedom of Israel); palm branch. Mildenberg 176-7,10,11 (this coin). Hendin 1382. TJC 237 (these dies). AJC II 268,20 (these dies). Samuels 111 (this coin). Faint traces of previous coin. Very rare. Superb.

Ex. El Fawar Hoard.  
Estimate: \$15,000





**20246 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (20mm, 3.15g gm, 6h).** Second year (hybrid with first year obverse) (133/134 AD). *לפדונו של ישראל* (Year one of the redemption of Israel); bunch of grapes with branch and small leaf / *שנת שני של חרות ישראל* (year two of the freedom of Israel); wide lyre (nevel or chelys) with three strings, four dots on sound box. Mildenberg 176,9 (these dies). Hendin 1383. TJC 235 (these dies). AJC II 267,19. Traces of previous coin. Superb. Estimate: \$15,000



**20247 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (20mm, 3.35 gm, 6h).** Second year (hybrid with first year obverse) (133/134 AD). *לפדונו של ישראל* (Year one of the redemption of Israel); bunch of grapes with branch and small leaf / *שנת שני של חרות ישראל* (year two of the freedom of Israel); wide lyre (nevel or chelys) with three strings, four dots on sound box. Mildenberg 176,9,2 (this coin). Hendin 1383. TJC 236. AJC II 267,19. Samuels 110 (this coin). Struck upon a denarius of Trajan. About Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 129.  
Ex Dahariyeh Hoard.  
Estimate: \$12,000*



**20248 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 2.76 gm, 1h).** Second year (hybrid with first year reverse) (133/134 AD). *שמא* (Sma-abbreviating Simon), the letters in a triangle, in a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom / *עזריאל הכהן* (Eleazar the priest); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 173,3,8 (this coin). Hendin 1384. TJC 234a (these dies). AJC I pl. 22,17a (these dies). Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.

*Ex. A. Bromberg by private treaty.*

*While this coin is not dated, the only other use of the Eleazar name on a zuz is combined with a die of the first year. Thus, this must be a hybrid issue of the first and second year rather than a coin of the third year, where other undated issues are assigned. The abbreviation "Sma" can also be read "Shma." It seems likely that there was an intended dual meaning in this use of the first three letters of Bar Kokhba's first name; first, a simple abbreviation, and second, as the first word of the prayer, the Shema, which is believed was one of Bar Kokhba's rallying cries.*

Estimate: \$6,000



**20249 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.39 gm, 2h).** Second year (hybrid with first year reverse) (133/134 AD). *שמא* (Sma-abbreviating Simon), the letters in a triangle, in a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom / *עזריאל הכהן* (Eleazar the priest); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 174,4 (these dies). Hendin 1384. TJC 234a. AJC I pl. 22,17a. Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$6,000



**20250 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (20mm, 3.36 gm, 12h).** Second year (hybrid with first year reverse) (133/134 AD).  
 ◦ שן (Sma-abbreviating Simon), the letters in a triangle, in a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom / יעזר יעזר (Eleazar the priest); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Milkenberg 174,5 (these dies). Hendin 1384. TJC 234 (these dies). AJC I pl. 267,17 (these dies). Weakly struck due to overstrike. Very Fine. Estimate: \$5,000



**20251 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.23 gm, 12h).** Second year (hybrid with first year reverse) (133/134 AD).  
 ◦ שן (Sma-abbreviating Simon), the letters in a triangle, in a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom / יעזר יעזר (Eleazar the priest); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Milkenberg 175,6.2 (this coin). Hendin 1384 var. TJC 235 (these dies). AJC I pl. 267,18 (these dies). Faint traces of previous coin. About Extremely Fine.

*Ex. El Fawar Hoard.*  
 Estimate: \$6,000



**20252 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.49 gm, 12h).** Second year (hybrid with first year reverse) (133/134 AD).  
 ◦ שן (Sma-abbreviating Simon), the letters in a triangle, in a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom / יעזר יעזר (Eleazar the priest); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Milkenberg 175,7.7 (this coin). Hendin 1384 var. TJC 235 (these dies). AJC I pl. 267,18 (these dies). Faint traces of previous coin. About Extremely Fine.

*Ex. A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
 Estimate: \$4,500



**20253 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (20mm, 3.14 gm, 2h).** Second year (hybrid with first year reverse) (133/134 AD).  
 ◦ שן (Sma-abbreviating Simon), the letters in a triangle, in a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom / יעזר יעזר (Eleazar the priest); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Milkenberg 175,8 (these dies). Hendin 1384 var. Struck upon a Roman denarius with Latin letters visible at 6-7 o'clock on reverse. Extremely Fine.

*Ex. Superior Galleries 12-10-1992 (Bromberg II), 443.*  
 Estimate: \$6,000

## Hybrid Year One-Two Sela, Ex Bromberg I



**20254 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 14.74 gm, 12h).** Second year (hybrid with first year obverse) (133/134 AD).  $\text{YERUSALEM}$  (Jerusalem) on three sides of facade of Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{LIBERTAS}$  (year two of the freedom of Israel); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 125,76 (this coin). Hendin 1385. Traces of previous coin. Very rare. About Extremely Fine.

*Ex. Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 80.  
Estimate: \$30,000*



## Perfect Year Two Hybrid Sela



**20255 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (27mm, 14.66 gm, 12h).** Second year (hybrid with first year obverse) (133/134 AD).  $\text{שְׁלֹמֹה בְּיָמָיו}$  (*Jerusalem*) on three sides of facade of Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לְחֹמֶת הַיְּדִיעָה}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 126,8 (these dies, two listed). Hendin 1385. Samuels 105 (this coin). Rare die pairing. An almost unbelievably perfect specimen, certainly one of the finest in existence. FDC. Estimate: \$37,500

A Second Year Two Hybrid Sela



- 20256 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 14.54 gm, 12h).** Second year (133/134 AD), (hybrid with first year obverse).  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (Jerusalem) on three sides of facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לְפָנֵינוּ}$   $\text{שְׁנֵי שָׁנִים}$  (year two of the freedom of Israel = 133/134 AD); lulav with etrog at l. Mild. 126,9,9 (this coin). Hendin 1385. TJC 229 (this coin). AJC II 266,12 (this coin). Rare. Good Very Fine.

*Ex. A. Bromberg Collection by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$30,000



- 20257 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (27mm, 14.74 gm, 12h).** Second year (hybrid with first year obverse) (133/134 AD).  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (Jerusalem) on three sides of facade of Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לְפָנֵינוּ}$   $\text{שְׁנֵי שָׁנִים}$  (year two of the freedom of Israel); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 126,9 (these dies). Hendin 1385. TJC 229 (these dies). AJC II 266,12 (these dies). Traces of previous coin. Rare. About Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$25,000



- 20258 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 13.32 gm, 12h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (Jerusalem) on three sides divided by + above facade of Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לְפָנֵינוּ}$   $\text{שְׁנֵי שָׁנִים}$  (year two of the freedom of Israel); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 127,11.4 (this coin). Hendin 1386. TJC 230 (this coin). AJC II 266,12a (this coin). Faint traces of previous coin. Very rare. Extremely Fine.

*Ex. A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$25,000

FDC Year Two Sela



**20259** Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (28mm, 13.78 gm, 12h). Second year (133/134 AD). שְׁלֹשָׁה שָׁנִים (Jerusalem) on two sides; + above facade of Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / לְחֵן פְּנֵי הַקֹּדֶשׁ (year two of the freedom of Israel); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 128,14 (same dies). Hendin 1387. TJC 230b. AJC II 267,13a. Samuels 106 (this coin). Virtually no traces of previous coin. FDC. Estimate: \$18,000



**20260** Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 13.06 gm, 1h). Second year (133/134 AD). שְׁלֹשָׁה שָׁנִים (Jerusalem) on two sides; + above facade of Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / לְחֵן פְּנֵי הַקֹּדֶשׁ (year two of the freedom of Israel); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 128,14.22 (this coin). Hendin 1387. TJC 230b. AJC II 267,13a. Samuels 106 (this coin). Struck upon a tetradrachm of Tyre, head of Melqarth upside down facing 9 o'clock on obverse. About Extremely Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$12,500



**20261** Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (27mm, 13.95 gm, 12h). Second year (133/134 AD). שְׁלֹשָׁה שָׁנִים (Jerusalem) on two sides; + above facade of Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / לְחֵן פְּנֵי הַקֹּדֶשׁ (year two of the freedom of Israel); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 129,16 (this coin). Hendin 1387. This is the only known specimen struck from these dies. Virtually no traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Idna I Hoard.*  
*Ex Superior Galleries 6-15-1976 (Dowdy Collection), 147.*  
Estimate: \$15,000





**20262 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (27mm, 14.17 gm, 1h).** Second year (133/134 AD). שְׁלֹמֹה בְּיָדָא (Jerusalem) on two sides; + above facade of Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / לְפָנֵי הַקֹּדֶשׁ שְׁנֵי שָׁנִים (year two of the freedom of Israel); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 129,17 (this coin). Hendin 1387. TJC 230a. AJC II 267,13. Virtually no traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$8,500



**20263 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (26mm, 13.31 gm, 1h).** Second year (133/134 AD). שְׁלֹמֹה בְּיָדָא (Jerusalem) on two sides; + above facade of Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / לְפָנֵי הַקֹּדֶשׁ שְׁנֵי שָׁנִים (year two of the freedom of Israel); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 131,21.8 (this coin). Hendin 1387. TJC 230a. AJC II 267,13. Faint traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.

Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.  
Ex Dahariyeh Hoard.  
Estimate: \$10,000



**20264 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (26mm, 14.61 gm, 1h).** Second year (133/134 AD). שְׁלֹמֹה בְּיָדָא (Jerusalem) on two sides; + above facade of Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / לְפָנֵי הַקֹּדֶשׁ שְׁנֵי שָׁנִים (year two of the freedom of Israel); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 132,23 (these dies). Hendin 1387. TJC 230a. AJC II 267,13. Obverse is weakly struck due to interference from previous coin. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$7,500



**20265 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 14.15 gm, 2h).** Second year (133/134 AD). שְׁלֹמֹה בְּיָדָא (Jerusalem) on two sides; + above facade of Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / לְפָנֵי הַקֹּדֶשׁ שְׁנֵי שָׁנִים (year two of the freedom of Israel); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 132,23.2 (this coin). Hendin 1387. TJC 230a. AJC II 267,13. Virtually no traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.

Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 87, where it was described as the finest known example from this die pair.  
Ex Dahariyeh Hoard.  
Estimate: \$10,000



**20266 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 14.85 gm, 12h).** Second year (133/134 AD). שְׁלֹשׁ שָׁנָה (Jerusalem) on two sides; + above facade of Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / לְפָנֵי הָאֵלֹהִים שְׁנֵי (year two of the freedom of Israel); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 132,24 (these dies). Hendin 1387. TJC 230a. AJC II 267,13. Traces of previous coin especially fabric of eagle's wings beneath ark on obverse. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$5,000



**20267 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 13.77 gm, 1h).** Second year (133/134 AD). שְׁלֹשׁ שָׁנָה (Jerusalem) on two sides; + above facade of Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / לְפָנֵי הָאֵלֹהִים שְׁנֵי (year two of the freedom of Israel); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 132,25.1 (this coin). Hendin 1387. TJC 230c (this coin). AJC II 267,13b (this coin). Traces of previous coin, bust on obverse, eagle on reverse. Extremely rare, Mildenberg cites only two examples from these dies. Very Fine.

*Ex Leu Numismatics 5-10,11-2004, 318.*  
*Ex Superior Galleries 12-10-1992 (Bromberg II), 404.*  
Estimate: \$6,500



**20268 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 13.81 gm, 12h).** Second year (133/134 AD). שְׁלֹשׁ שָׁנָה (Jerusalem) on two sides; + above facade of Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / לְפָנֵי הָאֵלֹהִים שְׁנֵי (year two of the freedom of Israel); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 132,26.1 (this coin). Hendin 1387. TJC 230c. AJC II 267,13b. Faint traces of previous coin, bust on obverse, eagle on reverse. Extremely rare, Mildenberg cites only three examples from these dies. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Leu Stock 1974.*  
*Ex Beit Mirsim Hoard.*  
*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$7,500



**20269 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (28mm, 14.93 gm, 11h).** Second year (133/134 AD). שְׁלֹשׁ שָׁנָה (Jerusalem) on two sides; + above facade of Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / לְפָנֵי הָאֵלֹהִים שְׁנֵי (year two of the freedom of Israel); lulav with etrog at l. Kaufman 130,1 (this coin). Mildenberg -. Hendin 1387. TJC 230a. AJC II 267,13. Extremely rare die pairing. Extremely Fine.

*Ex. C. Kaufman by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$7,000





**20270 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 13.92 gm, 1h).** Second year (133/134 AD). *YHWH* (*Simon*) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / *YHWH* *SHEL* (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 133,28 (these dies). Hendin 1388. TJC 233a (these dies). AJC II 267,16a (these dies). Faint traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$6,500



**20271 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 14.02 gm, 12h).** Second year (133/134 AD). *YHWH* (*Simon*) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / *YHWH* *SHEL* (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 135,32.5 (this coin). Hendin 1388. TJC 233b (these dies). AJC II 267,16b (these dies). Top of bust previous coin can be seen between 10 and 2 o'clock on obverse. Very Fine.

*Ex. Superior Galleries 121-10-1992 (Bromberg II), 408.*  
Estimate: \$5,500



**20272 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (28mm, 14.54 gm, 12h).** Second year (133/134 AD). *YHWH* (*Simon*) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / *YHWH* *SHEL* (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 136,36.1 (this coin). Hendin 1388. TJC 233c. AJC 267,16c. Superb. Estimate: \$25,000



**20273 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 14.07 gm, 1h).** Second year (133/134 AD). *YHWH* (*Simon*) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / *YHWH* *SHEL* (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 135,34 (these dies). Hendin 1388. TJC 233. AJC II 267,16. Traces of previous coin. Reverse scuffed across lulav and etrog. About Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$4,500





- 20274 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 14.10 gm, 1h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לְפָנֵי הַיְיָ שְׁנֵי שָׁנִים}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 136,35.14 (this coin). Hendin 1388. TJC 233 (same obverse die). AJC II 267,17a (same obverse die). Faint traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.

*Ex NFA XIV, 11-29-1984, 197.*  
Estimate: \$7,000



- 20275 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (26mm, 13.17 gm, 1h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לְפָנֵי הַיְיָ שְׁנֵי שָׁנִים}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 137,37.23 (this coin). Hendin 1388. TJC 233. AJC II 267,16. Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$7,000



- 20276 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (27mm, 14.42 gm, 1h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לְפָנֵי הַיְיָ שְׁנֵי שָׁנִים}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 137,38 (these dies). Hendin 1388. TJC 233. AJC II 267,16. Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Ira & Larry Goldberg, 5-28-29-2007 (Levin Collection), 2556.*  
Estimate: \$7,000



- 20277 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (26mm, 14.61 gm, 12h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לְפָנֵי הַיְיָ שְׁנֵי שָׁנִים}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 138, 41.2 (this coin). Hendin 1388. TJC 233a (same reverse die). AJC II 267,16a (same reverse die). Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries, 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 97.*  
*Ex El Fawar Hoard.*  
Estimate: \$6,000



- 20278 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (27mm, 14.25 gm, 1h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לְפָנֵי הַיְיָ שְׁנֵי שָׁנִים}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 140, 43 (these dies). Hendin 1388. TJC 233. AJC II 267,16. Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.

Estimate: \$6,000



- 20279 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (27mm, 14.79 gm, 1h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לְפָנֵי הַיְיָ שְׁנֵי שָׁנִים}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 140, 44 (these dies, Mildenberg lists only one example!). Hendin 1388. TJC 233. AJC II 267,16. Clear partial inscriptions from previous coin which was an Antioch tetradrachm of either Trajan or Nerva. Extremely Fine.

*Ex C. Kaufman by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$6,000



**20280 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (26mm, 13.87 gm, 12h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{סמא}$  (Simon) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לפניו של ה' שנה שנייה}$  (year two of the freedom of Israel); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 141, 45.5 (this coin). Hendin 1388. TJC 233. AJC II 267,16. Samuels 108 (this coin). Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$7,000



**20281 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.20 gm, 7h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{סמא}$  (Sma-abbreviating Simon), the letters in a triangle, in a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{לפניו של ה' שנה שנייה}$  (year two of the freedom of Israel); wide lyre (nevel or chelys) with three strings, four dots on sound box. Mildenberg 179,15.5 (this coin). Hendin 1389 var. TJC 238a (this coin). AJC II 268,21a (this coin). Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$6,500



**20282 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (20mm, 3.59 gm, 1h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{סמא}$  (Sma-abbreviating Simon), the letters in a triangle, in a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{לפניו של ה' שנה שנייה}$  (year two of the freedom of Israel); wide lyre (nevel or chelys) with three strings, four dots on sound box. Mildenberg 177, 12 (these dies, only 3 examples listed). Hendin 1389. TJC 238. AJC II 268,21. Back of emperor's diadem from previous coin can be seen upside down on reverse, facing 2 o'clock. Extremely Fine.

*Ex C. Kaufman by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$6,000



**20283 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.34 gm, 2h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{סמא}$  (Sma-abbreviating Simon), the letters in a triangle, in a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{לפניו של ה' שנה שנייה}$  (year two of the freedom of Israel); wide lyre (nevel or chelys) with three strings, four dots on sound box. Mildenberg 178, 13.13 (this coin). Hendin 1389. TJC 238 (these dies). AJC II 268,21 (these dies). Back of emperor's diadem from previous coin can be seen facing 12 o'clock on obverse. Rare. About Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$4,500



- 20284 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.16 gm, 2h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD). ◊ שׂמ (Sma-abbreviating Simon), the letters in a triangle, in a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom / ל״ב שׁוׁמׁר (year two of the freedom of Israel); wide lyre (nevel or chelys) with three strings, four dots on sound box. Mildenberg 178,13 (these dies). Hendin 1389. TJC 238 (these dies). AJC II 268,21 (these dies). Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$7,500



- 20285 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.10 gm, 1h).** Second year (133/134 AD). ◊ שׂמ (Sma-abbreviating Simon), the letters in a triangle, in a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom / ל״ב שׁוׁמׁר (year two of the freedom of Israel); palm branch. Mildenberg 180, 17.13 (this coin). Hendin 1390. TJC 245 (these dies). AJC II 268,28 (these dies). Partial inscription from previous coin can be seen on obverse between 8 and 9 o'clock. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Idna Hoard.  
Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.  
Estimate: \$1,000*



- 20286 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.34 gm, 12h).** Second year (133/134 AD). ◊ שׂמ (Sma-abbreviating Simon), the letters in a triangle, in a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom / ל״ב שׁוׁמׁר (year two of the freedom of Israel); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 181, 21.1 (this coin, six examples listed). Hendin 1391. TJC 250b (these dies). AJC II 269,33b (these dies). Faint traces of previous coin. Obverse slightly double struck. Very Fine/Extremely Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.  
Estimate: \$1,200*



- 20287 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (20mm, 3.15 gm, 12h).** Second year (133/134 AD). ◊ שׂמ (Sma-abbreviating Simon), the letters in a triangle, in a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom / ל״ב שׁוׁמׁר (year two of the freedom of Israel); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 184,28.2 (this coin, four examples listed). Hendin 1391. TJC 250a (this obverse die). AJC II 269,33a (this obverse die). Faint traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 138.  
Ex El Fawar Hoard.  
Estimate: \$1,800*



- 20288 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.35 gm, 12h).** Second year (133/134 AD). ◊ שׂמ (Sma-abbreviating Simon), the letters in a triangle, in a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom / ל״ב שׁוׁמׁר (year two of the freedom of Israel); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 184, 32 (these dies). Hendin 1391. TJC 250b. AJC II 269,33b. Faint traces of previous coin. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,500





**20289 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (17mm, 3.44 gm, 1h).** Second year (133/134 AD). ♂ שמ (Sma-abbreviating Simon), the letters in a triangle, in a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom / לרפא לרפא (year two of the freedom of Israel); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 188, 34.16 (this coin). Hendin 1391. TJC 250a (these dies). AJC II 269,33a (these dies). Struck upon a provincial drachm, Greek legend between 2 and 4 o'clock on obverse. Extremely Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
*Ex El Fawar Hoard.*  
Estimate: \$1,800



**20290 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.70 gm, 1h).** Second year (133/134 AD). ♂ שמ (Sma-abbreviating Simon), the letters in a triangle, in a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom / לרפא לרפא (year two of the freedom of Israel); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 188, 35.(these dies). Hendin 1391. TJC 250a (these dies). AJC II 269,33a (these dies). Clear traces of previous coin. Good Very Fine.

*Ex C. Kaufman by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$1,250



**20291 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (20mm, 3.29 gm, 1h).** Second year (133/134 AD). ♂ שמ (Sma-abbreviating Simon), the letters in a triangle, in a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom / לרפא לרפא (year two of the freedom of Israel); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 189,36.(these dies). Hendin 1391. TJC 250. AJC II 269,33. Struck over a Trajan denarius, his portrait is bold on obverse facing 9 o'clock upside down, the coin's reverse is also quite clear with its bottom at 6 o'clock. Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$3,000



**20292 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.24 gm, 1h).** Second year (133/134 AD). ♂ שמ (Sma-abbreviating Simon), the letters in a triangle, in a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom / לרפא לרפא (year two of the freedom of Israel); two trumpets upright. Mildenberg 180, 19 (these dies). Hendin 1392. TJC 243. AJC II 268,26. Partial inscription from previous coin can be seen on obverse between 3 and 6 o'clock. Extremely Fine.

*Ex C. Kaufman by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$1,800



**20293 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.60 gm, 2h).** Second year (133/134 AD). ♂ שמ (Sma-abbreviating Simon), the letters in a triangle, in a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom / לרפא לרפא (year two of the freedom of Israel); two trumpets upright. Mildenberg 181, 20.3 (this coin, four examples listed). Hendin 1392. TJC 243 (these dies). AJC II 268,26 (these dies). Struck upon a provincial drachm; top of Emperor's head can be seen on obverse between 4 and 6 o'clock, Greek legend on reverse between 7 and 10 o'clock. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries, 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 135, where it brought \$8,500.*  
Estimate: \$3,000



**20294 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.24 gm, 12h).** Second year (133/134 AD). ◦ שׂמ (Sma-abbreviating Simon), the letters in a triangle, in a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom / 900 900 900 (year two of the freedom of Israel); two trumpets upright. Mildenberg 182,23.12 (this coin). Hendin 1392. TJC 243 (these dies). AJC II 268,26 (these dies). Traces of previous coin. Good Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-10-1992 (Bromberg II), 450.  
Ex El Fawar Hoard.  
Estimate: \$1,200*



**20295 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (20mm, 3.24 gm, 2h).** Second year (133/134 AD). ◦ שׂמ (Sma-abbreviating Simon), the letters in a triangle, in a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom / 900 900 900 (year two of the freedom of Israel); two trumpets upright. Mildenberg 182,23 (these dies). Hendin 1392. TJC 243. AJC II 268,26. Samuels 114 (this coin). Struck upon a provincial drachm, Greek legend on obverse and reverse around 6 o'clock. Extremely Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.  
Estimate: \$1,800*



**20296 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (20mm, 3.51 gm, 12h).** Second year (133/134 AD). ◦ שׂמ (Sma-abbreviating Simon), the letters in a triangle, in a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom / 900 900 900 (year two of the freedom of Israel); two trumpets upright. Mildenberg 183, 24.6 (this coin). Hendin 1392. TJC 243a. AJC II 268,26a. Struck upon a denarius of Hadrian, part of the Latin legend at 6 o'clock on the obverse, the back of his head at 6 o'clock on the reverse. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries, 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 136.  
Ex El Fawar Hoard.  
Estimate: \$3,000*



**20297 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.15 gm, 1h).** Second year (133/134 AD). ◦ שׂמ (Sma-abbreviating Simon), the letters in a triangle, in a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom / 900 900 900 (year two of the freedom of Israel); two trumpets upright. Mildenberg 184, 26 (these dies). Hendin 1392. Struck upon a drachm of Trajan, his portrait facing 1 o'clock on obverse, some Greek visible at 9 to 11 o'clock on reverse. Very Fine.

*Ex C. Kaufman by private treaty.  
Estimate: \$1,200*



**20298 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.33 gm, 1h).** Second year (133/134 AD). שׂמ (Simon), the letters form a square with one in the center, within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom / 900 900 900 (year two of the freedom of Israel); wide lyre (nevel or chelys) with three strings, four dots on crescent-shaped sound box. This die pairing is not listed in any major reference books. One other specimen is listed in Kaufman 2000-02 132, 11. Fewer than five coins are known to exist from this obverse die (Mildenberg 200,55); (Mild. 200, 53 for reverse die). Faint traces of previous coin. Very Fine.

*Ex C. Kaufman by private treaty.*

*Among the rarest of all Bar Kokhba coins.  
Estimate: \$7,500*

### Three Known Specimens



- 20299 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (20mm, 3.24 gm, 12h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{סמון}$  (*Simon*), the letters form a square with one in the center, within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{שנת שני של חירות ישראל}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); wide lyre (*nevel* or *chelys*) with three strings, four dots on crescent-shaped sound box. Milndenberg 200,53 (same dies, Milndenberg lists one example). Hendin 1398. TJC 239. Extremely rare, only three specimens known. Traces of previous coin. Good Very Fine.

*Ex C. Kaufman by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$8,000



- 20300 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.25 gm, 4h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{סמון}$  (*Simon*) bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a leaf to the left and a tendril to the right /  $\text{שנת שני של חירות ישראל}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); wide lyre (*nevel* or *chelys*) with three strings, four dots on crescent-shaped sound box. Milndenberg 194,43.3 (this coin). Hendin 1393. TJC 240 (this coin). AJC II 288,23 (this coin). Samuels 116 (this coin). Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 144.*  
*Ex Dahariyeh Hoard.*  
Estimate: \$6,500



- 20301 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (17mm, 2.95 gm, 7h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{סמון}$  (*Simon*) bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a leaf to the left and a tendril to the right /  $\text{שנת שני של חירות ישראל}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); palm branch. Milndenberg 190,38.(these dies). Hendin 1394. TJC 248a (these dies). AJC II 269,31a. Extremely Fine.

*Ex C. Kaufman by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$2,000



- 20302 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (17mm, 3.16 gm, 6h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{סמון}$  (*Simon*) bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a leaf to the left and a tendril to the right /  $\text{שנת שני של חירות ישראל}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Milndenberg 190,39.(these dies). Hendin 1394. TJC 248a (this reverse die). AJC II 269,31a (this reverse die). Traces of previous coin. Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-9/10-1989 (Jascha Heifitz Collection II), 2851.*  
Estimate: \$1,500





- 20303 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.20 gm, 6h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*) bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a leaf to the left and a tendril to the right /  $\text{לְפָנֵינוּ שְׁנַת חֵירוּתֵנוּ}$  (*year two of the freedom of Is[r]rael*); palm branch. Mildenberg 190,40.(these dies). Hendin 1394. TJC 248a (this reverse die). AJC II 269,31a (this reverse die). Traces of previous coin. About Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-9/10-1989 (Jascha Heifitz Collection II), 2854.*  
Estimate: \$1,200



- 20304 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.22 gm, 6h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*) bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a leaf to the left and a tendril to the right /  $\text{לְפָנֵינוּ שְׁנַת חֵירוּתֵנוּ}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); palm branch. Mildenberg 193,42.(these dies). Hendin 1394. TJC 248. AJC II 269,31. Weakly struck, otherwise Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,500



- 20305 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 2.65 gm, 6h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*) bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a leaf to the left and a tendril to the right /  $\text{לְפָנֵינוּ שְׁנַת חֵירוּתֵנוּ}$  (*year two of the freedom of Is[r]rael*); palm branch. Mildenberg 197,49.(these dies). Hendin 1394. TJC 248. AJC II 269,31. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,200



- 20306 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.42 gm, 6h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*) bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a leaf to the left and a tendril to the right /  $\text{לְפָנֵינוּ שְׁנַת חֵירוּתֵנוּ}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); palm branch. Mildenberg 197,49.(these dies). Hendin 1394. TJC 248. AJC II 269,31. Struck upon a drachm of Trajan, head facing 2 o'clock on reverse. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,000



- 20307 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 2.89 gm, 6h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*) bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a leaf to the left and a tendril to the right /  $\text{לְפָנֵינוּ שְׁנַת חֵירוּתֵנוּ}$  (*year two of the freedom of Is[r]rael*); palm branch. Mildenberg 198, 50 (these dies). Hendin 1394. TJC 248b (these dies). AJC II 269,31b (these dies). Traces of previous coin. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$600



- 20308 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.37 gm, 7h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*) bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a leaf to the left and a tendril to the right /  $\text{לְפָנֵינוּ שְׁנַת חֵירוּתֵנוּ}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); palm branch. Mildenberg 198,50.21 (this coin). Hendin 1394. TJC 248b (this coin). AJC II 269,31b. Struck upon a provincial drachm, Greek legend visible between 6 and 9 o'clock on reverse. Good Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries, 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 148.*  
Estimate: \$1,800



- 20309 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (17mm, 3.68 gm, 7h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*) bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a leaf to the left and a tendril to the right /  $\text{שְׁנֵי שָׁנִים לְחֵירוֹת יִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 190,39.(these dies). Hendin 1395. TJC 253a. AJC II 269,36a. Samuels 115 (this coin). Clear profile from previous coin, Trajan or Hadrian. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$1,800



- 20310 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.20 gm, 6h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*) bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a leaf to the left and a tendril to the right /  $\text{שְׁנֵי שָׁנִים לְחֵירוֹת יִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 195,45.(these dies). Hendin 1395. TJC 253a. AJC II 269,36a. Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,000



- 20311 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.27 gm, 2h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*) bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a leaf to the left and a tendril to the right /  $\text{שְׁנֵי שָׁנִים לְחֵירוֹת יִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 196,46.6.(this coin). Hendin 1395. TJC 253 (this coin). AJC II 269,36 (this coin). Struck upon a denarius of Nerva with Latin legend and base of neck on obverse 2 to 6 o'clock. Find patina. About Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-10-1992 (Bromberg II), 462.*  
Estimate: \$900

### Rare Irregular Issue



- 20312 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR irregular zuz (3.42 g, 12h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*) bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a leaf to the left and a tendril to r. /  $\text{שְׁנֵי שָׁנִים לְחֵירוֹת יִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Hendin 1395 variety. Mildenberg 286,225 (this coin, one listed). Irregular issue. Good Very Fine.

*Ex El Fawar Hoard. The only specimen cited from this die pair. Ex Superior Galleries 10-12-1992 (Bromberg 2), 543.*  
Estimate: \$12,000



- 20313 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR irregular zuz (3.30 gm, 1h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{סִמּוֹן}$  (*Simo[n]*) bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a leaf to the left and a tendril to the right /  $\text{לְשָׁנָא דְּלִיבָא דְּיִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 224.1 (this coin, one of two listed). TJC 254. AJC II 269,37. Faint traces of previous coin. Extremely rare. Superb. Estimate: \$10,000



- 20314 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.06 gm, 7h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{סִמּוֹן}$  (*Simon*) bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a leaf to the left and a tendril to the right /  $\text{לְשָׁנָא דְּלִיבָא דְּיִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); elongated lyre (*kinor* or *kithara*) with three strings. Mildenberg 196,47.(these dies). Hendin 1396. TJC 242 (these dies). AJC II 268,25 (these dies). Struck upon a denarius of Domitian, head facing 4 o'clock on obverse. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,200



- 20315 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.06 gm, 7h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{סִמּוֹן}$  (*Simon*) bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a leaf to the left and a tendril to the right /  $\text{לְשָׁנָא דְּלִיבָא דְּיִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); elongated lyre (*kinor* or *kithara*) with three strings. Mildenberg 196,47.(these dies). Hendin 1396. TJC 242 (these dies). AJC II 268,25 (these dies). Faint traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries, 12-9-19-1989 (Jascha Heifitz Collection II), 2849.*  
Estimate: \$2,000



- 20316 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.29 gm, 12h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{סִמּוֹן}$  (*Simon*), five letters in two lines, within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{לְשָׁנָא דְּלִיבָא דְּיִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); palm branch. Mildenberg 202,60 (these dies). Hendin 1401. TJC 247 (these dies). AJC II 269,30 (these dies). Samuels 117 (this coin). Faint traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$2,500





- 20317 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.26 gm, 12h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{סמון}$  (*Simon*), five letters in two lines, within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{שנת שני של חירות ישראל}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); palm branch. Mildenberg 202,60 (these dies). Hendin 1401. TJC 247 (these dies). AJC II 269,30 (these dies). Struck on a drachm, traces of Greek legend on both sides. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$1,500



- 20318 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.02 gm, 1h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{סמון}$  (*Simon*), five letters in two lines, within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{שנת שני של חירות ישראל}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); elongated lyre (*kinor* or *kithara*) with three strings. Mildenberg 201,57 (same dies). Hendin 1403. TJC 241a (these dies). AJC II 269,24 (these dies). Traces of previous coin. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,500



- 20319 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.45 gm, 2h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{סמון}$  (*Simon*), five letters in two lines, within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{שנת שני של חירות ישראל}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); elongated lyre (*kinor* or *kithara*) with three strings. Mildenberg 201,58.4 (this coin). Hendin 1403. TJC 241 (these dies). AJC II 269,24a (these dies). No trace of previous coin. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries, 5-12-1991 (Bromberg II), 151.*  
Estimate: \$1,500

## Second Year 'Abu Jara'



- 20320 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE large bronze (36mm, 16.51 gm, 12h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{ירושלם}$  (*Jerusalem*) within a wreath /  $\text{שנת שני של חירות ישראל}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); amphora with two handles. Mildenberg 300,18.2 (this coin). Hendin 1404. TJC 255a (this coin). AJC II 270,38a (this coin). Flan crack. Brown patina. About Extremely Fine.

*Ex Leu Numismatics 86, 5-5/6-2003 (T. Kollek Collection), 581.*  
*Ex Glendining, 11-30-1937 (J. Campion Collection), 140.*  
*Ex Ars Classica XV, 7-2-1930, 1124.*  
Estimate: \$50,000



- 20321 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE large bronze (32mm, 13.20 gm, 12h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{סמון}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath /  $\text{לפגוללל} \text{ל} \text{ל} \text{ל} \text{ל} \text{ל}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); amphora with two handles. Mildenberg 300,19.6 (this coin). Hendin 1405. TJC 256 (this coin). AJC II 270,39 (this coin). Flan filed before re-striking, with file marks quite evident. Very rare. Brown patina. Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 267.*  
Estimate: \$45,000



- 20322 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE middle bronze (20 X 23mm, 5.65 gm, 12h).**  $\text{לפגוללל} \text{ל} \text{ל} \text{ל} \text{ל} \text{ל}$  (*Simon Prince of Israel*); palm branch within a wreath  $\text{לפגוללל} \text{ל} \text{ל} \text{ל} \text{ל}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); wide lyre (*nevel or chelys*) of four or five strings. Mildenberg 304, 28.6 (this coin) Hendin 1406. TJC 263. AJC II 271,46. Brown patina. Good Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 237.*  
Estimate: \$2,000



- 20323 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE middle bronze (25mm, 10.24 gm, 6h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{סמון}$  (*Sim[on]*) across fields; seven-branched palm tree with two bunches of dates /  $\text{לפגוללל} \text{ל} \text{ל} \text{ל} \text{ל} \text{ל}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); vine leaf on tendril. Mildenberg 313,68.1 (this coin). Hendin 1408. TJC 260a. AJC II 270,43a. Brown patina with golden highlights. Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 247.*  
Estimate: \$600



- 20324 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE middle bronze (26mm, 8.74 gm, 6h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{סמון}$  (*Simon*) across fields; seven-branched palm tree with two bunches of dates /  $\text{לפגוללל} \text{ל} \text{ל} \text{ל} \text{ל} \text{ל}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); vine leaf on tendril. Mildenberg 316,80. Hendin 1408a. TJC 259b. AJC II 270,42b. Good Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 248.*  
Estimate: \$750



- 20325 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE middle bronze (23 X 26mm, 13.94 gm, 6h).** Second year (133/134 AD).  $\text{סמון}$  (*Simon*) across fields; seven-branched palm tree with two bunches of dates /  $\text{לפגוללל} \text{ל} \text{ל} \text{ל} \text{ל} \text{ל}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); vine leaf on tendril. Mildenberg 317,87. Hendin 1408a. TJC 259a. AJC II 270,42a. Brown patina. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 250.*  
Estimate: \$900



- 20326 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE irregular middle bronze (22mm, 5.76 gm, 5h).** Second or third year (133/135 AD).  $\text{סמון}$  (*Sma-abbreviating Simon*) across fields; seven-branched palm tree with two bunches of dates /  $\text{לפגוללל} \text{ל} \text{ל} \text{ל} \text{ל} \text{ל}$  (*year two of the freedom of Israel*); vine leaf on tendril. Types and legends are crude. Mildenberg 337,179 (obv. 12) and 336,174 (rev. 130). Unique pairing of rare dies. Brown patina. Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-9/10-1989 (Jascha Heifitz Collection II), 2872, where it was misattributed.*  
Estimate: \$900



**20327 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). Irregular coinage. AE middle bronze (25mm, 9.90 gm, 6h).** Second year (133/134 AD). שׁוֹמ (Sim[on]) across fields; seven-branched palm tree with two bunches of dates / לִפְדּוּת שְׁנֵי שָׁנִים (year two of the freedom of Israel); vine leaf on tendril. Milndenber 336,171 (Milndenber lists only one example, a cast copy in Zurich). Extremely rare. Brown patina with some copper silicates adhering to surface. Good Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 267.*  
Estimate: \$1,000



**20328 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE small bronze (18 X 20mm, 5.08 gm, 8h).** יְעֶזְקֵאל הַכֹּהֵן (Eleazar the priest) across fields; seven-branched palm tree with two bunches of dates / לִפְדּוּת שְׁנֵי שָׁנִים (year two of the freedom of Israel); bunch of grapes with branch and small leaf. Milndenber 330,152 (these dies, four listed). Hendin 1409. TJC 265. AJC II 271,48. Extremely rare with encrusted find patina. Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$6,000



**20329 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (27mm, 13.96 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD). שִׁמּוֹן (Simon) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / לִפְדּוּת שְׁנֵי שָׁנִים (for the freedom of Jerusalem); lulav with etrog at l. Milndenber 141,46.2 (this coin, three listed). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. Extremely rare die pairing. Traces of previous coin, top of head at 9 o'clock on reverse. Very Fine.

*Ex Stack's 5-4-1960 (Neumoyer Collection), 215.*  
Estimate: \$5,000



**20330 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (27mm, 13.20 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD). שִׁמּוֹן (Simon) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / לִפְדּוּת שְׁנֵי שָׁנִים (for the freedom of Jerusalem); lulav with etrog at l. Milndenber 141,47 (this coin is the only one listed). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272, 51. Faint traces of previous coin. About Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 100.*  
Estimate: \$7,500





**20331** Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (27mm, 14.44 gm, 1h). Undated third year (134/135 AD). *יְהוֹנָתָן (Simon)* on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / *לְחֵירוּת יְרוּשָׁלַם* (for the freedom of Jerusalem); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 142,51 (these dies, four listed). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. Good Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$8,000



**20333** Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (27mm, 12.77 gm, 1h). Undated third year (134/135 AD). *יְהוֹנָתָן (Simon)* on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / *לְחֵירוּת יְרוּשָׁלַם* (for the freedom of Jerusalem); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 143,54 (these dies). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. Traces of previous coin. Superb. Estimate: \$7,500



**20332** Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (29mm, 14.14 gm, 12h). Undated third year (134/135 AD). *יְהוֹנָתָן (Simon)* on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / *לְחֵירוּת יְרוּשָׁלַם* (for the freedom of Jerusalem); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 143,53.3 (this coin). Hendin 1411. TJC 267 (this coin). AJC II 272,51 (this coin). Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 103.*  
Estimate: \$9,000



**20334** Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (27mm, 13.96 gm, 12h). Undated third year (134/135 AD). *יְהוֹנָתָן (Simon)* on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / *לְחֵירוּת יְרוּשָׁלַם* (for the freedom of Jerusalem); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 143,55 (these dies). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. Struck on an Antioch tetradrachm, back of head at 3 o'clock on reverse. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$7,000



**20335 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 14.90 gm, 12:30h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{סמון}$  (*Simon*) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לחיי ארץ ישראל} \times \text{לחיי ארץ}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 144,56 (these dies). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. Struck on an Antioch tetradrachm, back of head at 3 o'clock on reverse. Bare traces of previous coin. Good Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$7,500



**20337 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (27mm, 14.29 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{סמון}$  (*Simon*) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לחיי ארץ ישראל} \times \text{לחיי ארץ}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 147,59.9 (this coin). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. Struck on an Antioch tetradrachm, back of head at 3 o'clock on reverse. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$6,000



**20336 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (27mm, 14.93 g, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{סמון}$  (*Simon*) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לחיי ארץ ישראל} \times \text{לחיי ארץ}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 147,60 (these dies, four listed). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. Extremely rare die pairing. Traces of previous coin. Very Fine.

*Ex Ira & Larry Goldberg Sale 5-28/29-2007 (Levin Collection), 2595.*

*Ex Brand Collection.*  
Estimate: \$5,000



**20338 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 14.64 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{סמון}$  (*Simon*) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לחיי ארץ ישראל} \times \text{לחיי ארץ}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 147,60.1 (this coin). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. Traces of previous coin. Good Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 107.*  
Estimate: \$6,000



- 20339 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (26mm, 14.47 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְסִימון}$  (*Simon*) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לְחֵן מִן־הַמִּזְבֵּחַ לְחֵן מִן־הַמִּזְבֵּחַ}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 148,62 (these dies). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. Traces of previous coin. Good Very Fine.

*Ex Spink America 60, 171.*  
Estimate: \$5,000



- 20341 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 14.60 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְסִימון}$  (*Simon*) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לְחֵן מִן־הַמִּזְבֵּחַ לְחֵן מִן־הַמִּזְבֵּחַ}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 150,66 (these dies). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. Struck on an Antioch tetradrachm, eagle's wing visible at 10-12 o'clock on reverse. Good Very Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$5,000



- 20340 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 14.21 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְסִימון}$  (*Simon*) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לְחֵן מִן־הַמִּזְבֵּחַ לְחֵן מִן־הַמִּזְבֵּחַ}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 150,64 (these dies, two listed). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. Struck on an Antioch tetradrachm, top of head at 6-8 o'clock on obverse, outline of eagle's wings clear from 12-4 o'clock reverse. Very rare die pairing. Very Fine.

*Ex C. Kaufman by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$6,000



- 20342 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (26mm, 14.18 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְסִימון}$  (*Simon*) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לְחֵן מִן־הַמִּזְבֵּחַ לְחֵן מִן־הַמִּזְבֵּחַ}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 151,68.5 (this coin). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. Struck on an Antioch tetradrachm, top of head at 1-4 o'clock on obverse, outline of eagle's wings at 12 o'clock reverse. Porous, otherwise, Very Fine.

*Ex Leu Numismatics 5-10/11-2004, 364.*  
*Ex Superior Galleries 12-10-1992 (Bromberg II), 426.*  
Estimate: \$4,500



- 20343 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (26mm, 14.25 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְסִימון}$  (*Simon*) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לְחֵן מִן־הַמִּזְבֵּחַ לְחֵן מִן־הַמִּזְבֵּחַ}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 151,69.5 (this coin). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. Traces of previous coin. Good Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 110.*  
*Ex El Fawar Hoard.*  
Estimate: \$6,000





- 20344 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (27mm, 14.14 g, 2h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$   $\text{לְחֵירוּת יְרוּשָׁלַם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); lulav with etrog at l. Hendin 1411. Mild. 151,69 (same dies). TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. The top of emperor's head from previous coin can be seen on the obverse from 10 to 12 o'clock. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$5,000



- 20345 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 14.26 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$   $\text{לְחֵירוּת יְרוּשָׁלַם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 152,71,11 (this coin). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. About Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-10-1992 (Bromberg II), 427*  
*Ex El Fawar Hoard.*  
Estimate: \$5,000



- 20346 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (28mm, 14.98 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$   $\text{לְחֵירוּת יְרוּשָׁלַם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 153,73,7 (this coin). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. Traces of previous coin. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$4,000



- 20347 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (27mm, 14.13 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$   $\text{לְחֵירוּת יְרוּשָׁלַם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 154,74,9 (this coin). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. Good Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-10-1992 (Bromberg II), 428.*  
*Ex El Fawar Hoard.*  
Estimate: \$7,000



- 20348 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (26mm, 14.56 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$   $\text{לְחֵירוּת יְרוּשָׁלַם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 154,75 (these dies, two listed). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. Very Fine.

*Ex C. Kaufman by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$4,500



- 20349 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (26mm, 14.63 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$   $\text{לְחֵירוּת יְרוּשָׁלַם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 155,76 (these dies, four listed). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. Traces of previous coin. Very Fine. Estimate: \$4,500



- 20350 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (27mm, 14.00 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD). [יָאֵם] (Simon) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / מְלִיטָה אֶתְרוֹג [כֶּן חֵן] (for the freedom of Jerusalem); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 159,80.6 (this coin). Hendin 1411. TJC 267a (this coin). AJC II 272,51 (this coin). Struck on an Antioch tetradrachm of Trajan, Greek legend, top of his head at 6 o'clock on obverse, legend and outline of eagle's wing at 3 o'clock on reverse. Extremely Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.  
Ex El Fawar Hoard.  
Estimate: \$6,500*



- 20351 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 14.61 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD). יָאֵם (Simon) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / מְלִיטָה אֶתְרוֹג [כֶּן חֵן] (for the freedom of Jerusalem); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 159,80.8 (apparently this coin). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 116.  
Estimate: \$6,000*



- 20352 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (26mm, 13.95 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD). יָאֵם (Simon) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / מְלִיטָה אֶתְרוֹג [כֶּן חֵן] (for the freedom of Jerusalem); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 159,81 (these dies, one coin listed). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. Traces of previous coin. Extremely rare die pairing. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$4,500



- 20353 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (13.98 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD). יָאֵם (Simon) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / מְלִיטָה אֶתְרוֹג [כֶּן חֵן] (for the freedom of Jerusalem); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 161,83 (these dies, two listed). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. Traces of previous coin. Extremely rare die pairing. Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$5,000



- 20354 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 14.64 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD). יָאֵם (Simon) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance / מְלִיטָה אֶתְרוֹג [כֶּן חֵן] (for the freedom of Jerusalem); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 161,84.6 (these dies). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Bank Leu AG & Numismatic Fine Arts 10-16/18-1994 (Garrett II), 310.  
Ex J.W.Garrett, Raymond 4-1-1924.  
Estimate: \$4,500*





- 20355 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (27mm, 14.47 gm, 16h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$   $\text{לְחַיֵּי חַיִּים}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 161,84.9 (this coin). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. Traces of previous coin. About Extremely Fine.

*Ex Bromberg by private treaty.*  
*Ex El Fawar Hoard.*  
Estimate: \$4,000



- 20356 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 14.25 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$   $\text{לְחַיֵּי חַיִּים}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 162,86 (these dies). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272, 51. Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$6,500



- 20357 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR irregular sela (29mm, 14.61 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon) on two sides (crude legend partly retrograde); star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$   $\text{לְחַיֵּי חַיִּים}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem) (crude legend partly blundered); lulav with etrog at l. Mild. 171,102.5 (this coin) Hendin 1411 a. TJC 268 (this coin). AJC II 272,52 (this coin). Traces of previous coin. Irregular issue. Good Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-10-1992 (Bromberg II), 440.*  
Estimate: \$7,500



- 20358 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (27mm, 14.19 gm, 2h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$   $\text{לְחַיֵּי חַיִּים}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); lulav (no etrog). Mildenberg 142,50 (these dies). Hendin 1412. TJC 270. AJC II 273,54. Bust of previous coin faces 12 o'clock on obverse. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$6,000



- 20359 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (28mm, 14.92 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$   $\text{לְחַיֵּי חַיִּים}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 163,87 (these dies). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. Extremely Fine.

*Ex. C. Kaufman by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$3,500



- 20360 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 14.60 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon) on two sides; star above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$   $\text{לְחַיֵּי חַיִּים}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 171,102.5 (these dies). Hendin 1411. TJC 267. AJC II 272,51. Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$6,000





- 20361 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (26mm, 14.35 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon) on two sides; wavy line above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לְחַיֵּי חַיִּי וְחַיֵּי עַמּוּנוֹ}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 164,89.4 (this coin). Hendin 1413. TJC 269b (these dies). AJC II 272,53b (these dies). Rare. Good Very Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$9,500



- 20362 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 13.87 gm, 10h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon) on two sides; wavy line above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לְחַיֵּי חַיִּי וְחַיֵּי עַמּוּנוֹ}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 164,88.4 (this coin). Hendin 1414. TJC-. AJC—. Rare. Traces of previous coin. Good Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 119.*  
*Ex El Fawar Hoard.*  
Estimate: \$15,000



- 20363 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 14.16g gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon) on two sides; wavy line of four semi-circles connected by horizontal lines above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לְחַיֵּי חַיִּי וְחַיֵּי עַמּוּנוֹ}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 164,88 (these dies). Hendin 1414. TJC-. AJC-. Rare. Traces of previous coin. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$10,000



- 20364 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 14.43 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon) on two sides; wavy line above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לְחַיֵּי חַיִּי וְחַיֵּי עַמּוּנוֹ}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 164,89.10 (this coin). Hendin 1413. TJC 269b (these dies). AJC II 272,53b (this reverse die). Rare. Traces of previous coin. Good Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-10-1992 (Bromberg II), 428.*  
*Ex Dahariyeh Hoard.*  
Estimate: \$10,000



**20365 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (26mm, 15.43 gm, 11h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{לחיינו}$  (*Simon*) on two sides; wavy line above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לחיינו}$   $\text{לחיינו}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); *lulav* with *etrog* at l. Mildenberg 165,91.4 (this coin). Hendin 1413. TJC 269c (these dies). AJC II 272, 53c (these dies). Samuels 124 (this coin). Superb.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
*Ex Dahariyeh Hoard.*  
Estimate: \$12,500



**20366 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (25mm, 14.43 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{לחיינו}$  (*Simon*) on two sides; wavy line above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לחיינו}$   $\text{לחיינו}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); *lulav* with *etrog* at l. Mildenberg 165,91 (these dies). Hendin 1413. TJC 269c (these dies). AJC II 272,53c (these dies). Struck upon a tetradrachm of Antioch, eagle's wing can be seen at 12-3 o'clock on reverse. About Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$7,500



**20367 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (26mm, 14.48 gm, 11h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{לחיינו}$  (*Simon*) on two sides; wavy line above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לחיינו}$   $\text{לחיינו}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); *lulav* with *etrog* at l. Mildenberg 166,92 (these dies). Hendin 1413. Very Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$6,500



**20368 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (26mm, 14.85 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{לחיינו}$  (*Simon*) on two sides; wavy line above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לחיינו}$   $\text{לחיינו}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); *lulav* with *etrog* at l. Mildenberg 167,93 (these dies). Hendin 1413. Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.

*Ex C. Kaufman by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$8,000



**20369 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (26mm, 14.07 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon) on two sides; wavy line above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לְחֵירוּת יְרוּשָׁלַם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 167,94.3 (this coin). Hendin 1413. Traces of previous coin. About Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 123.  
Ex Beit Mirsim Hoard.  
Estimate: \$10,000*



**20370 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (26mm, 15.07 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon) on two sides; wavy line above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לְחֵירוּת יְרוּשָׁלַם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 168,95 (these dies). Hendin 1413. Traces of previous coin, and some flatness due to this. Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$9,000



**20371 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR sela (26mm, 14.16 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon) on two sides; wavy line above facade of the Jerusalem Temple, the holy ark seen from end in center of entrance /  $\text{לְחֵירוּת יְרוּשָׁלַם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); lulav with etrog at l. Mildenberg 168,96 (these dies). Hendin 1413. Samuels 125 (this coin). Struck upon an Antioch tetradrachm of Nero, whose profile is clear on the reverse at 4 o'clock, the eagle's wings are clear at 8-10 o'clock on the obverse. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$12,000



**20372 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 2.88 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medalion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{לְחֵירוּת יְרוּשָׁלַם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); palm branch. Mildenberg 203.61 (these dies). Hendin 1416. TJC 279b. AJC II 274,62b. Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$750





- 20373 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18.5mm, 3.34 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{תִּימֹנְיָא}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medalion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); palm branch. Mildenberg 203.62.10 (this coin). Hendin 1416. TJC 279b. AJC II 274,62b. Superb.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 155.  
Ex El Fawar Hoard.  
Estimate: \$1,200*



- 20374 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.44 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{תִּימֹנְיָא}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medalion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); palm branch. Mildenberg 204.63 (these dies). Hendin 1416. TJC 279b. AJC II 274,62b. Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$900



- 20375 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 2.78 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{תִּימֹנְיָא}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medalion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); palm branch. Mildenberg 204,64 (these dies). Hendin 1416. TJC 279c. AJC II 274,62b. Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,200



- 20376 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.37 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{תִּימֹנְיָא}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medalion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); palm branch. Mildenberg 204.64 (these dies). Hendin 1416. TJC 279c. AJC II 274,62c. Traces of previous coin. About Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-9/10-1989 (Jascha Heifitz Collection II), 2894.  
Estimate: \$900*



- 20377 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.21 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{תִּימֹנְיָא}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medalion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); palm branch. Mildenberg 205.65.8 (this coin). Hendin 1416. TJC 279d. AJC II 274,62d. Traces of previous coin. Good Very Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.  
Estimate: \$900*



- 20378 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.75 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{תִּימֹנְיָא}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medalion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); palm branch. Mildenberg 206.66 (these dies). Hendin 1416. TJC 279c (these dies). AJC II 274,62c (these dies). Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-9/10-1989 (Jascha Heifitz Collection II), 2897.  
Estimate: \$900*



- 20379 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.45 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{תִּימֹנְיָא}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); trumpets upright, dot between. Mildenberg 206.67 (these dies). Hendin 1417. TJC 276b (these dies). AJC II 273,59b. Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$900



- 20380 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.24 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{תִּימֹנְיָא}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); trumpets upright, dot between. Mildenberg 207.68.1 (this coin, only example listed). Hendin 1417. TJC 276b. AJC II 273,59b. Struck on a denarius of Vespasian whose profile faces 7 o'clock on the reverse. The only known coin struck from this die pair. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Leu Numismatics 91, 5-10/11-2004, 371.*  
Estimate: \$3,000



- 20381 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.34 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{תִּימֹנְיָא}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 208.72 (these dies). Hendin 1418. TJC 283b. AJC II 274, 66b. Very Fine.

*Ex C. Kaufman by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$750



- 20382 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 2.81 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{תִּימֹנְיָא}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 209.73 (these dies). Hendin 1418. TJC 283b. AJC II 274,66b. Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$750



- 20383 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.08 gm, 2h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{תִּימֹנְיָא}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 209.74 (these dies). Hendin 1418. TJC 283b. AJC II 274,66b. Samuels 127 (this coin) Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$900



- 20384 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 2.92 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{תִּימֹנְיָא}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 210.75 (these dies). Hendin 1418. TJC 283b. AJC II 274,66b. Traces of previous coin. Very Fine. Estimate: \$450



- 20385 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.42 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{תִּימֹנְיָא}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 210.76 (these dies). Hendin 1418. TJC 283b. AJC II 274,66b. Traces of previous coin. Very Fine. Estimate: \$600



- 20386 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.76 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{תִּשְׁבַּע}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{יְלֵוּ אֶרֶץ יִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 212,80 (these dies). Hendin 1418. TJC 283b. AJC II 274,66b. Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$700



- 20387 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.13 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{תִּשְׁבַּע}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{יְלֵוּ אֶרֶץ יִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 212,80 (these dies). Hendin 1418. TJC 283b. AJC II 274,66b. Traces of previous coin. Very Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$600



- 20388 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.22 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{תִּשְׁבַּע}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{יְלֵוּ אֶרֶץ יִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 212,80 (these dies). Hendin 1418. TJC 283b. AJC II 274, 66b. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$850



- 20389 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.44 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{תִּשְׁבַּע}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{יְלֵוּ אֶרֶץ יִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 213,81 (these dies). Hendin 1418. TJC 283b. AJC II 274,66b. Struck upon a drachm or denarius, emperor's profile seen at 3 o'clock on obverse. Very Fine.  
*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty*  
Estimate: \$400



- 20390 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.46 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{תִּשְׁבַּע}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{יְלֵוּ אֶרֶץ יִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 213,82 (these dies). Hendin 1418. TJC 283b. AJC II 274, 66b. Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$850



- 20391 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR irregular zuz (19mm, 2.55 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{תִּשְׁבַּע}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{יְלֵוּ אֶרֶץ יִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Types and legends are crude. Mildenberg 290.1 (this coin, unique specimen). Irregular issue. Unique specimen. Fair/Fine.

*Ex C. Kaufman by private treaty.*  
*Ex S. Moussaieff.*  
*Ex Idna Hoard.*  
Estimate: \$600



- 20392 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR irregular zuz (18mm, 2.06 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{תִּשְׁבַּע}$  (Simon) bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a leaf to the left and a tendril to the right /  $\text{יְלֵוּ אֶרֶץ יִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (for the freedom of [Jer]usalem); palm branch. Types and legends are crude. Mildenberg 290,246 (these dies, three listed). TJC 282 (these dies). AJC II 274,65 (these dies). Irregular issue. Extremely Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$4,500





- 20393 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.06 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{סִמּוֹן}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom /  $\text{לִשְׁׁלֹטָא בְּאַרְבָּעָא} \text{ (for the freedom of Jerusalem)}$ ; elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Mildenberg 215,84 (these dies). Hendin 1419. TJC 272. AJC II 273,55. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$600



- 20394 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.29 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{סִמּוֹן}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom, there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{לִשְׁׁלֹטָא בְּאַרְבָּעָא} \text{ (for the freedom of Jerusalem)}$ ; palm branch. Mildenberg 219,91 (these dies). Hendin 1420. TJC 279a. AJC II 274,62a. Traces of previous coin. Good Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 6-2-1952, 4519.*  
Estimate: \$600



- 20395 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (20mm, 3.27 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{סִמּוֹן}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom, there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{לִשְׁׁלֹטָא בְּאַרְבָּעָא} \text{ (for the freedom of Jerusalem)}$ ; palm branch. Mildenberg 224,103 (these dies). Hendin 1420. TJC 279a. AJC II 274,62a. Struck upon a Roman denarius, Latin legend at 6-7 o'clock on obverse and 5 o'clock on reverse. Good Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-9/10-1989 (Jascha Heifitz Collection II), 2899.*  
Estimate: \$750



- 20396 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.20 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{סִמּוֹן}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom, there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{לִשְׁׁלֹטָא בְּאַרְבָּעָא} \text{ (for the freedom of Jerusalem)}$ ; palm branch. Mildenberg 224,103 (these dies). Hendin 1420. TJC 279a. AJC II 274,62a. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$750



- 20397 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.16 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{סִמּוֹן}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom, there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{לִשְׁׁלֹטָא בְּאַרְבָּעָא} \text{ (for the freedom of Jerusalem)}$ ; two trumpets upright, dot between. Mildenberg 219,90 (these dies). Hendin 1421. TJC 276a (these dies). AJC II 273,59a (these dies). Struck upon a Roman denarius, back of emperor's head at 3 o'clock on obverse, Latin letters at 12-1 o'clock reverse. Good Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 164.*  
*Ex C. Kaufman by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$750



- 20398 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.14 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{סִמּוֹן}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom, there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{לִשְׁׁלֹטָא בְּאַרְבָּעָא} \text{ (for the freedom of Jerusalem)}$ ; fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 216,85.27 (this coin). Hendin 1422. TJC 283a (these dies). AJC II 274,66a (these dies). Extremely Fine.

*Ex El Fawar Hoard.*  
Estimate: \$850



- 20399 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 2.64 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{סִמּוֹן}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom, there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{לִשְׁׁלֹטָא בְּאַרְבָּעָא} \text{ (for the freedom of Jerusalem)}$ ; fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 217,86 (these dies). Hendin 1422. TJC 283a. AJC II 274, 66a. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$600



- 20400 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.14 gm, 2h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{Simon}$  within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom, there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{for the freedom of Jerusalem}$ ; fluted jug, handle on l., no willow branch. Mildenberg 218,88 (these dies). Hendin 1422. TJC 284a (these dies). AJC II 274,67a. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$750



- 20401 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.31 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{Simon}$  within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom, there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{for the freedom of Jerusalem}$ ; fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 219,89.2 (this coin, three listed). Hendin 1422. TJC 283a. AJC II 274,66a. Rare die pairing. Good Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-10-1992 (Bromberg II), 482  
Ex El Fawar Hoard.  
Estimate: \$1,250*



- 20402 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.53 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{Simon}$  within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom, there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{for the freedom of Jerusalem}$ ; fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 224,104 (these dies). Hendin 1422. TJC 283a. AJC II 274,66a. Extremely Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.  
Estimate: \$750*



- 20403 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.42 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{Simon}$  within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom, there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{for the freedom of Jerusalem}$ ; fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 225,105.5 (this coin). Hendin 1422. TJC 283a. AJC II 274,66a. Traces of previous coin. Very Fine.

*Ex C. Kaufman by private treaty.  
Estimate: \$600*



- 20404 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 2.62 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{Simon}$  within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom, there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{for the freedom of Jerusalem}$ ; fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 226,106 (these dies). Hendin 1422. TJC 283a. AJC II 274,66a. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$1,200



- 20405 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.44 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{Simon}$  within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom, there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{for the freedom of Jerusalem}$ ; fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 226,107 (these dies). Hendin 1422. TJC 283a. AJC II 274,66a. Traces of previous coin. Very Fine. Estimate: \$400



- 20406 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.14 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{Simon}$  within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom, there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{for the freedom of Jerusalem}$ ; fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 227,109 (this coin). Hendin 1422. TJC 283a (these dies). AJC II 274,66a (these dies). Struck upon a denarius of Vespasian, whose profile can be seen facing 2 o'clock on the body of the jug, Latin letters at 4 o'clock on obverse. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$400



- 20407 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (20mm, 3.49 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{שִׁמּוֹן}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom, there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 228,110.3 (this coin). Hendin 1422. TJC 283a. AJC II 274, 66a. Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-10-1992 (Bromberg II), 494  
Ex Hess-Leu 45, 381.  
Estimate: \$1,200*



- 20408 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.73 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{שִׁמּוֹן}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom, there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); fluted jug, handle on l., no willow branch. Back of emperor's head from previous coin faces 2 o'clock on reverse. Mildenberg 227,108 (these dies). Hendin 1423. TJC 284a. AJC II 274,67a. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$400



- 20409 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.01 gm, 2h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{שִׁמּוֹן}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom, there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); elongated lyre (*kinor* or *kithara*) with three strings. Mildenberg 220,94 (these dies). Hendin 1424. TJC 272a. AJC II 273, 55a. Very Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.  
Estimate: \$600*



- 20410 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.08 gm, 2h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{שִׁמּוֹן}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom, there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); elongated lyre (*kinor* or *kithara*) with three strings. Mildenberg 221,96 (these dies). Hendin 1424. TJC 272a. AJC II 273,55a. Traces of previous coin. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$400



- 20411 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.29 gm, 2h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{שִׁמּוֹן}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom, there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); elongated lyre (*kinor* or *kithara*) with three strings. Mildenberg 221,98 (these dies). Hendin 1424. TJC 272a. AJC II 273,55a. Traces of previous coin. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$600



- 20412 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (20mm, 3.08 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{שִׁמּוֹן}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom, there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); elongated lyre (*kinor* or *kithara*) with three strings. Mildenberg 222,99 (these dies, three listed). Hendin 1424. TJC 272a. AJC II 273,55a. Rare die pairing. Traces of previous coin. Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-9/10-1989 (Jascha Heifitz Collection II), 2904.  
Estimate: \$750*



- 20413 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 2.84 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{שִׁמּוֹן}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom, there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); elongated lyre (*kinor* or *kithara*) with three strings. Mildenberg 223,101 (these dies). Hendin 1424. TJC 272a. AJC II 273,55a. Overstruck on a drachm of Arabia, Greek legend at 8-11 o'clock on reverse. Very Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.  
Estimate: \$400*





- 20414 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR irregular zuz (18mm, 3.23 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{שִׁמּוֹן}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom, there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{חָיִים לְיִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Legends are crude and retrograde. Mildenberg 289,241 (these dies, four listed). TJC 273b (these dies). AJC II 273, 56b (these dies). Irregular issue. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Leu Numismatics 91, 5-10/11-2004, 410.*  
Estimate: \$6,000



- 20415 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR irregular zuz (18mm, 2.49 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{שִׁמּוֹן}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom, there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{חָיִים לְיִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (for the freedom of [Jer]usalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Types and legends are crude. Mildenberg 288,234.1 (this coin, six listed). TJC 273a (these dies). AJC II 273,56a (these dies). Irregular issue. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-10-1992 (Bromberg II), 546.*  
*Ex El Fawar Hoard.*  
Estimate: \$3,500



- 20416 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.26 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{שִׁמּוֹן}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom; there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{חָיִים לְיִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); palm branch. Mildenberg 229,115.4 (this coin). Hendin 1425. TJC 279. AJC II 274,62. Struck on a denarius of Titus or Vespasian, Latin letters at 5 o'clock obverse and 7-9 o'clock reverse. Extremely Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
*Ex El Fawar Hoard.*  
Estimate: \$750



- 20417 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.61 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{שִׁמּוֹן}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom; there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{חָיִים לְיִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); palm branch. Mildenberg 242,136 (these dies). Hendin 1425. TJC 279 (these dies). AJC II 274,62 (these dies). Struck on a Roman denarius top of bust to 4 o'clock on obverse. Rare die pairing. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-10-1992 (Bromberg II), 504.*  
*Ex El Fawar Hoard.*  
Estimate: \$1,000



- 20418 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 2.99 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{שִׁמּוֹן}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom; there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{חָיִים לְיִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); two trumpets upright. Mildenberg 233,123 (these dies). Hendin 1426. TJC 276a. AJC II 274,59a. Struck on a drachm of Trajan with head facing 4 o'clock on reverse, Greek letters above it, and Greek letters at 1-2 o'clock on obverse. Good Very Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$850



- 20419 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.44 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{שמואל}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom; there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{לחיי חירות}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); two trumpets upright, dot between. Milnberg 234,124 (these dies). Hendin 1426. TJC 276a. AJC II 274,59a. Struck on a Roman denarius Latin letters at 8-10 o'clock obverse and 10 o'clock reverse. Very Fine. Estimate: \$750



- 20420 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 2.88 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{שמואל}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom; there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{לחיי חירות}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); two trumpets upright, dot between. Milnberg 238,131 (these dies). Hendin 1426. TJC 276 (these dies). AJC II 274,59 (these dies). Traces of previous coin. About Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$850



- 20421 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.51 gm, 11h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{שמואל}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom; there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{לחיי חירות}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Milnberg 229,113.1 (this coin, three listed). Hendin 1427. TJC 283. AJC II 274,66. Rare die pairing. Superb.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 172.  
Ex El Fawar Hoard.  
Estimate: \$1,800*



- 20422 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.46 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{שמואל}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom; there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{לחיי חירות}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Milnberg 230,116.3 (this coin). Hendin 1427. TJC 283. AJC II 274,66. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 174.  
Ex El Fawar Hoard.  
Estimate: \$1,250*



- 20423 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.21 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{שמואל}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom; there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{לחיי חירות}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Milnberg 239,133.2 (this coin). Hendin 1427. TJC 283. AJC II 274,66. Traces of previous coin. Superb.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 183.  
Ex El Fawar Hoard.  
Estimate: \$1,200*



- 20424 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.39 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{אֶלְיָשׁוּר}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom; there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  [ $\times$   $\text{א}$ ]  $\text{לְחֵירוּת}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 239,133 (these dies). Hendin 1427. TJC 283. AJC II 274,66. Struck on a Roman denarius, profile facing 3 o'clock on reverse, Latin letters at 6-9 o'clock obverse. Superb. Estimate: \$1,500



- 20425 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.26 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{אֶלְיָשׁוּר}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom; there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$   $\times$   $\text{א}$   $\text{לְחֵירוּת}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); fluted jug, handle on l., no willow branch. Mildenberg 238,132 (these dies). Hendin 1428. TJC 284 (these dies). AJC II 275,67 (these dies). Struck upon a denarius of Hadrian, his profile faces 4 o'clock on obverse. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$1,200



- 20426 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.31 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD). /  $\text{אֶלְיָשׁוּר}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom; there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$   $\times$   $\text{א}$   $\text{לְחֵירוּת}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 232,121 (these dies). Hendin 1427. TJC 283. AJC II 274, 66. Extremely Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$750



- 20427 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.49 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{אֶלְיָשׁוּר}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom; there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$   $\times$   $\text{א}$   $\text{לְחֵירוּת}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); elongated lyre (*kinor* or *kithara*) with three strings. Mildenberg 228,112.12 (this coin). Hendin 1429. TJC 272c. AJC II 273,55c. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 171.*  
*Ex El Fawar Hoard.*  
Estimate: \$1,200



- 20428 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.12 gm, 11h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{אֶלְיָשׁוּר}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom; there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$   $\times$   $\text{א}$   $\text{לְחֵירוּת}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); elongated lyre (*kinor* or *kithara*) with three strings. Mildenberg 231,114 (these dies). Hendin 1429. TJC 272c. AJC II 273, 55c. Traces of previous coin. Very Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$400



- 20429 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.49 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{אֶלְיָשׁוּר}$  (*Simon*) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom; there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$   $\times$   $\text{א}$   $\text{לְחֵירוּת}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); elongated lyre (*kinor* or *kithara*) with three strings. Mildenberg 231,117 (these dies). Hendin 1429. TJC 272c. AJC II 273, 55c. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$850





- 20430 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19.5mm, 3.36 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{שִׁמּוֹן}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom; there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Milndenberg 231,118.5 (this coin, five listed). Hendin 1429. TJC 272. AJC II 273,55c. Struck upon a denarius of Hadrian (BMC 122) with clear head to 3 o'clock on reverse and Latin from 6-9 on obverse. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$2,500



- 20431 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.51 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{שִׁמּוֹן}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom; there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Milndenberg 231,119 (these dies). Hendin 1429. TJC 272. AJC II 273,55c. Traces of previous coin. About Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$750



- 20432 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.21 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{שִׁמּוֹן}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom; there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Milndenberg 235,127.2 (this coin, four listed). Hendin 1429. TJC 272c (these dies). AJC II 273,55c (these dies). Traces of the previous coin and scratches on obverse. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 180.  
Ex El Fawar Hoard.  
Estimate: \$850*



- 20433 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.40 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{שִׁמּוֹן}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom; there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Milndenberg 236,130 (these dies). Hendin 1429. TJC 272c (these dies). AJC II 273,55c (these dies). Traces of the previous coin. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$700



- 20434 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.47 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{שִׁמּוֹן}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom; there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Milndenberg 236,130 (these dies). Hendin 1429. TJC 272c (these dies). AJC II 273,55c (these dies). Struck on a Trajan denarius, his portrait faces four o'clock on obverse, Latin letters at 7-8 o'clock on reverse. About Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$750



- 20435 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (21mm, 3.49 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{שִׁמּוֹן}$  (Simon) within a wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom; there are a pair of dots, one inside and one outside, between each section /  $\text{לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Milndenberg 243,137.6 (this coin, six listed). Hendin 1429. TJC 272c. AJC II 273,55c. Top of head from previous coin, drachm or denarius, faces 4 o'clock on obverse. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$900



- 20436 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.24 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יִשְׁמָעֵאל}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{יְלֵוּ אֶרֶץ חֵרֶם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); palm branch. Mildenberg 246,145.2 (these dies). Hendin 1430. TJC 281 (these dies). AJC II 274,64 (these dies). Superb.  
Estimate: \$1,200



- 20437 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (20mm, 3.11 gm, 7h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יִשְׁמָעֵאל}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{יְלֵוּ אֶרֶץ חֵרֶם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); palm branch. Mildenberg 247,148 (these dies). Hendin 1430. TJC 281. AJC II 274,64. Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$750



- 20438 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 2.12 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יִשְׁמָעֵאל}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{יְלֵוּ אֶרֶץ חֵרֶם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); palm branch. Mildenberg 247,149 (these dies). Hendin 1430. TJC 281. AJC II 274,64. Traces of previous coin. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$350



- 20439 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (20mm, 3.16 gm, 7h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יִשְׁמָעֵאל}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{יְלֵוּ אֶרֶץ חֵרֶם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); palm branch. Mildenberg 249,151 (these dies, two listed). Hendin 1430. TJC 281. AJC II 274,64. Struck on a denarius of Trajan, Latin legend and back of his head at 7-11 o'clock on reverse, Latin legend 7-10 o'clock on reverse. Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$850



- 20440 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.13 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יִשְׁמָעֵאל}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{יְלֵוּ אֶרֶץ חֵרֶם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); palm branch. Mildenberg 260,170 (these dies). Hendin 1430. TJC 281. AJC II 274,64. Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$850



- 20441 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.43 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יִשְׁמָעֵאל}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{יְלֵוּ אֶרֶץ חֵרֶם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); palm branch. Mildenberg 261,171 (these dies). Hendin 1430. TJC 281. AJC II 274,64. Struck on a denarius of Hadrian whose profile faces 8 o'clock on obverse, his name 1-4 o'clock, Latin letters at 3-4 o'clock on reverse. Extremely Fine/Very Fine.

*Ex Maltiel-Gerstenfeld by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$350

Pedigreed Irregular Zuz



- 20442 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR irregular zuz (19.5mm, 3.24 gm, 1h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simo[n]*); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left /  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$   $\text{לְחֵירוּשָׁלַם$  (*for the freedom of Jeru[salem]*); palm branch. Types and legends are crude. Mildenberg 292, 261.1 (this coin, two listed). Irregular coinage. Legends from previous coin at 10-1 o'clock obverse, 3 o'clock reverse. Very Fine.

*Ex J. Vinchon 6-30-1978, 102.*

*Ex NFA 4-19-1960 (Edward Gans), 444.*

*Ex Naville Ars Classica V, 2863.*

Estimate: \$7,500



- 20443 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR irregular zuz (20mm, 3.27 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simo[n]*); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left /  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$   $\text{לְחֵירוּשָׁלַם$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); palm branch. Types and legends are crude. Mildenberg 293, 265.9 (these dies, six listed). Hendin 1430a (these dies). Irregular coinage. Good Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$4,000



- 20444 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 2.96 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$   $\text{לְחֵירוּשָׁלַם$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); two trumpets upright. Mildenberg 249,152 (these dies). Hendin 1431. TJC 277. AJC II 274,60a. Traces of previous coin. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$500



- 20445 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.10 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$   $\text{לְחֵירוּשָׁלַם$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); two trumpets upright, dot between. Mildenberg 250,153 (these dies). Hendin 1431. TJC 277. AJC II 274,60a (these dies). Struck on a Roman provincial drachm, Greek legend 10-2 o'clock on reverse. Good Very Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*

Estimate: \$650



- 20446 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.39 gm, 7h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$   $\text{לְחֵירוּשָׁלַם$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); two trumpets upright, dot between. Mildenberg 251,154.4 (this coin). Hendin 1431. TJC 277. AJC II 274, 60. Struck on a denarius of Nerva, whose profile faces 6 o'clock on reverse. Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-10-1992 (Bromberg II), 511.*

*Ex Joel Malter Auction 4, 60.*

Estimate: \$750





**20447 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 2.42 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD). [SIMON]; bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right / [FOR THE FREEDOM OF JERUSALEM]; two trumpets upright. Mildenberg 255,162 (these dies). Hendin 1431. TJC 277. AJC II 274,60. Samuels 128 (this coin). Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Maltiel-Gerstenfeld by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$700



**20448 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.38 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD). [SIMON]; bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right / [FOR THE FREEDOM OF JERUSALEM]; two trumpets upright. Mildenberg 274,200.3 (this coin). Hendin 1431. TJC 277a (these dies). AJC II 274,60 (these dies). Overstruck on a coin of Trajan, inscription from 6-9 o'clock on obverse and 9-12 o'clock on reverse. About Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-10-1992 (Bromberg II), 533.*  
*Ex Hess-Leu 3-4-1963, J95.*  
*Ex Brand Collection.*  
Estimate: \$900



**20449 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR irregular zuz (19mm, 2.75 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD). [SIMON]; bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch / [FOR THE FREEDOM OF JERUSALEM]; two trumpets upright, dot between. Types and legends are crude. Mildenberg 289,243 (for obverse die 160), reverse die is similar to Kaufman pl. 135,27, but not the same die. Irregular coinage. Unpublished reverse die, unique specimen. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$10,000



**20450 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR irregular zuz (20mm, 3.35 gm, 8h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD). [SIMON]; bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch / [FOR THE FREEDOM OF JERUSALEM]; two trumpets upright, dot between. Types and legends are crude. Mildenberg 289,243 (for obverse die 160), reverse die Kaufman pl. 135,28. Samuels 131 (this coin). Overstruck on an provincial Arabian drachm of Trajan, his profile and legend face 7 o'clock on reverse, letters at 4-5 o'clock on obverse. Irregular coinage. Unique die pairing. About Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$7,500



- 20451 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR irregular zuz (19mm, 3.27gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יָאֵם שָׁמַיִם}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch /  $\times \text{אֶרְצָא} \text{שָׁמַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem, inscription reversed); two trumpets upright, dot between. Types and legends are crude. Mildenberg 290,250 (these dies, two listed). Struck on an Arabian drachm of Trajan, whose bust faces 2 o'clock on obverse legend from 7 to 2 o'clock, Greek letters at 5-6 o'clock on reverse. Irregular coinage. Very rare. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$4,500



- 20452 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR irregular zuz (19mm, 3.42 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יָאֵם שָׁמַיִם}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch /  $\times \text{אֶרְצָא} \text{שָׁמַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); two trumpets upright, dot between. Types and legends are crude. Mildenberg 290,251 (these dies, one listed). TJC 278a. AJC II 274,61a. Second known specimen. Irregular coinage. Good Very Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$3,500



- 20453 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR irregular zuz (18.5mm, 3.37 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יָאֵם שָׁמַיִם}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch /  $\times \text{אֶרְצָא} \text{שָׁמַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem, inscription reversed); two trumpets upright. Types and legends are crude. Mildenberg 291,252.2 (this coin, two listed). TJC 278b (this coin). AJC II 274,61b (this coin). One of two known specimens. Irregular coinage. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 222.*  
*Ex El Fawar Hoard.*  
Estimate: \$7,500



- 20454 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR irregular zuz (20mm, 3.50 gm, 7h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יָאֵם שָׁמַיִם}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch /  $\times \text{אֶרְצָא} \text{שָׁמַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); two trumpets upright, dot between. Types and legends are crude. Mildenberg 291,253.1 (this coin, one listed). TJC 278 (this coin). AJC II 274,61 (this coin). Irregular coinage. Unique specimen. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 223.*  
Estimate: \$7,500

Unique Irregular Zuz



- 20455 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR irregular zuz (20mm, 3.48 gm, 12h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD). [𐤒]𐤌𐤕[𐤒] ([Sim]o[n]); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch / [𐤕𐤌𐤕 𐤌]𐤒𐤕 𐤕𐤌𐤕 (for the freedom of Jerusalem); two trumpets upright, dot between. Types and legends are crude, partly retrograde. Milndenberg 291,256.1 (this coin, one example) Irregular coinage. Unique specimen. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 224.  
Ex El Fawar Hoard.  
Estimate: \$10,000*

Singular Specimen



- 20456 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR irregular zuz (20mm, 3.35 gm, 8h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD). 𐤒𐤌𐤕𐤒 (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch / 𐤕𐤌𐤕 𐤌]𐤒𐤕 (for the freedom of Jerusalem, inscription reversed); two trumpets upright. Types and legends are crude. Milndenberg -. Samuels 132 (this coin). Irregular coinage. Superb.

*This is the only known example of either of the dies used to strike this irregular coin.  
Estimate: \$12,000*



- 20457 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.25 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD). 𐤒𐤌𐤕𐤒 (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right / 𐤕𐤌𐤕 𐤌]𐤒𐤕 (for the freedom of Jerusalem); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Milndenberg 251,156.15 (this coin). Hendin 1433. TJC 285 (these dies). AJC II 275,68 (these dies). Good Very Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.  
Estimate: \$750*





- 20458 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.07 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{חָפְזִי לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 252,157 (these dies, three listed). Hendin 1433. TJC 285. AJC II 275,68. Struck upon a drachm of Trajan, Greek legend at 7-11 o'clock reverse. Rare die pairing. About Extremely Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$850



- 20459 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.25 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{חָפְזִי לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 252,158 (these dies, one listed). Hendin 1433. TJC 285. AJC II 275,68. Struck upon a drachm of Trajan, Greek legend at 7-11 o'clock reverse. Extremely rare die pairing. Good Very Fine.

*Ex C. Kaufman by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$1,000



- 20460 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (20mm, 3.43 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{חָפְזִי לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 255,163 (these dies). Hendin 1433. TJC 285. AJC II 275, 68. Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,000



- 20461 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.11 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{חָפְזִי לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 269,191 (these dies, three listed). Hendin 1433. TJC 285. AJC II 275,68. Traces of previous coin. Very rare die pairing. Good Extremely Fine.

*Ex C. Kaufman by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$2,000



- 20462 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.48 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{חָפְזִי לְחֵירוֹת יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 271,195 (these dies). Hendin 1433. TJC 285. AJC II 68. Attractive light golden toning. Superb.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$1,000



- 20463 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.28 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יִשְׁמָעֵאל}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); fluted jug, handle on l., willow branch on r. Mildenberg 270,194 (these dies). Hendin 1433. TJC 285. AJC II 275,68. About Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$750



- 20464 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.39 gm, 7h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יִשְׁמָעֵאל}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); fluted jug, handle on l., no willow branch. Mildenberg 251,155 (these dies). Hendin 1434. TJC 286. AJC II 275, 69. Very Fine. Estimate: \$400



- 20465 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.23 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יִשְׁמָעֵאל}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); fluted jug, handle on l., no willow branch. Mildenberg 256,164 (these dies). Hendin 1434. TJC 286 (these dies). AJC II 275,69 (these dies). Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$1,000



- 20466 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.39 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יִשְׁמָעֵאל}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); fluted jug, handle on l., no willow branch. Mildenberg 268,188 (these dies). Hendin 1434. TJC 286. AJC II 275,69. Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$1,000



- 20467 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.18 gm, 7h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יִשְׁמָעֵאל}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Mildenberg 244,139.11 (this coin). Hendin 1435. TJC 274 (this coin). AJC II 273,57 (this coin). Struck on a denarius Trajan, back of head and Latin facing 2 o'clock on reverse, Latin letters at 2-3 o'clock on obverse. Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 187.*  
Estimate: \$1,000



- 20468 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.39 gm, 7h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יִשְׁמָעֵאל}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Mildenberg 245,142 (these dies, four listed). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273,57c. Struck on a denarius of Hadrian whose head faces 12 o'clock on obverse, Latin legend clear 12-2 o'clock on reverse. Rare die pairing. About Very Fine.

*Ex C. Kaufman by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$400



- 20469 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.19 gm, 7h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יִשְׁמָעֵאל}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Mildenberg 245,143 (these dies). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273, 57. Traces of previous coin. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$650



- 20470 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.32 gm, 7h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹשֻׁעַ}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{לְחַיֵּי יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Milkenberg 246,144.2 (this coin, six listed). Hendin 1435. TJC 274c (these dies). AJC II 273, 57c (these dies). Struck on a denarius of Vespasian or Titus, emperor's profile clear facing 6 o'clock on reverse on body of lyre. Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 189.  
Ex El Fawar Hoard.  
Ex J. Schulman 270, 2140.  
Estimate: \$750*



- 20471 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.47 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹשֻׁעַ}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{לְחַיֵּי יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Milkenberg 253,159 (these dies). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273,57a. Traces of previous coin. Very Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.  
Estimate: \$400*



- 20472 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.32 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹשֻׁעַ}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{לְחַיֵּי יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Milkenberg 253,160 (these dies). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273,57a. Struck on a denarius of Hadrian whose profile is seen on reverse on lyre facing 6 o'clock. Very Fine. Estimate: \$400



- 20473 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.49 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹשֻׁעַ}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{לְחַיֵּי יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Milkenberg 264,178 (these dies). Hendin 1435. TJC 274a. AJC II 273,57a. Traces of previous coin About Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-9/10-1989 (Jascha Heifitz Collection II), 2096.  
Estimate: \$650*



- 20474 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.30 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹשֻׁעַ}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{לְחַיֵּי יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Milkenberg 261,172 (these dies). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273,57a. Good Extremely Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.  
Estimate: \$1,000*



- 20475 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (20mm, 3.36 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹשֻׁעַ}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{לְחַיֵּי יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Milkenberg 262,173 (these dies, three listed). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273,57a. Rare die pairing. Good Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$1,000



- 20476 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.09 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹשֻׁעַ}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{לְחַיֵּי יְרוּשָׁלַיִם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Milkenberg 262,174 (these dies). Hendin 1435. TJC 274a (these dies). AJC II 273,57a (these dies). Struck upon a Roman denarius, probably Vespasian, back of head at 12 o'clock obverse, Latin letters at 5-7 o'clock reverse. Good Very Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.  
Estimate: \$650*





- 20477 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 2.98 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{לְחֵם חֵלֶב וְשֶׁמֶן זַיִן}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Mildenberg 263,176.2 (this coin). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273,57a. Good Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 200.*  
*Ex El Fawar Hoard.*  
 Estimate: \$2,000



- 20478 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.41 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{לְחֵם חֵלֶב וְשֶׁמֶן זַיִן}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Mildenberg 263,177.2 (this coin, five listed). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273,57a. Good Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 201.*  
*Ex J. Schulman 270, 2139.*  
 Estimate: \$1,500



- 20479 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (20mm, 2.92 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{לְחֵם חֵלֶב וְשֶׁמֶן זַיִן}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Mildenberg 264,181.4 (this coin). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273,57a. Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-10-1992 (Bromberg II), 523.*  
*Ex El Fawar Hoard.*  
 Estimate: \$900



- 20480 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18.5mm, 3.23 gm, 7h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{לְחֵם חֵלֶב וְשֶׁמֶן זַיִן}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Mildenberg 265,182.2 (this coin). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273,57a. Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 202.*  
*Ex Hess-Leu 3-4-1963, J82.*  
*Ex Brand Collection.*  
 Estimate: \$900



- 20481 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (20mm, 3.51 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{לְחֵם חֵלֶב וְשֶׁמֶן זַיִן}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Mildenberg 265,183.11 (this coin). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273,57a. Traces of previous coin. Extremely Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
*Ex El. Fawar Hoard.*  
 Estimate: \$600



- 20482 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.16 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{לְחֵם חֵלֶב וְשֶׁמֶן זַיִן}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Mildenberg 266,186 (these dies). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273,57a. Traces of previous coin. Good Extremely Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
 Estimate: \$1,200



- 20483 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (20mm, 3.54 gm, 7h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יִשְׁמֵעֵאל}$  (*Simon*); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{יְרֵמֵה לְיִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); elongated lyre (*kinor* or *kithara*) with three strings. Mildenberg 272,196.4 (this coin). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273,57a. Struck on a Trajan denarius, Latin letters at 10-2 o'clock on obverse and 5-7 o'clock on reverse. About Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-10-1992 (Bromberg II), 531.*  
*Ex El Fawar Hoard.*  
Estimate: \$1,200



- 20484 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.47 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יִשְׁמֵעֵאל}$  (*Simon*); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{יְרֵמֵה לְיִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); elongated lyre (*kinor* or *kithara*) with three strings. Mildenberg 275,201 (these dies). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273,57a. Very Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$600



- 20485 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.04 gm, 8h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יִשְׁמֵעֵאל}$  (*Simon*); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{יְרֵמֵה לְיִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); elongated lyre (*kinor* or *kithara*) with three strings. Mildenberg 276,203 (these dies). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273,57a. Struck on a drachm or denarius, the emperor's profile faces 6 o'clock on the body of the lyre. Good Extremely Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$400



- 20486 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.14 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יִשְׁמֵעֵאל}$  (*Simon*); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{יְרֵמֵה לְיִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); elongated lyre (*kinor* or *kithara*) with three strings. Mildenberg 278,204 (these dies). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273,57a. Extremely Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$900



- 20487 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.31 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יִשְׁמֵעֵאל}$  (*Simon*); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{יְרֵמֵה לְיִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); elongated lyre (*kinor* or *kithara*) with three strings. Mildenberg 279,205 (these dies). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273, 57a. Extremely Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$750



- 20488 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.23 gm, 7h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יִשְׁמֵעֵאל}$  (*Simon*); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{יְרֵמֵה לְיִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); elongated lyre (*kinor* or *kithara*) with three strings. Mildenberg 279,206.7 (this coin). Hendin 1435. TJC 274b. AJC II 273,57b. Struck on a Roman denarius, Latin legend from 12-4 o'clock on obverse and 2-4 o'clock reverse. About Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 210.*  
*Ex El Fawar Hoard.*  
Estimate: \$400



- 20489 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.46 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יִשְׁמֵעֵאל}$  (*Simon*); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{יְרֵמֵה לְיִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); elongated lyre (*kinor* or *kithara*) with three strings. Mildenberg 280,207.4 (this coin). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273,57a. Struck on a Roman denarius, Latin legend at 10 o'clock on obverse. Good Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-10-1992 (Bromberg II), 536.*  
*Ex El Fawar Hoard.*  
Estimate: \$750



- 20490 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.08 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יִשְׁמֵעֵאל}$  (*Simon*); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{יְרֵמֵה לְיִשְׂרָאֵל}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); elongated lyre (*kinor* or *kithara*) with three strings. Mildenberg 280,208 (these dies). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273, 57c. Good Extremely Fine.

Estimate: \$1,000



- 20491 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (20mm, 3.44 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{לְחֵירוּת יְרוּשָׁלַם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Milndenberg 281,209 (these dies). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273, 57a. About Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$850



- 20492 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.12 gm, 7h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{לְחֵירוּת יְרוּשָׁלַם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Milndenberg 281, 210 (these dies). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273, 57a. Struck on a drachm of Trajan, legends at 10-12 on obverse and 8-10 on reverse. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$500



- 20493 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.21 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{לְחֵירוּת יְרוּשָׁלַם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Milndenberg 282, 211 (these dies, six listed). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273, 57a. Traces of previous coin. Very Fine. Estimate: \$400



- 20494 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.36 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{לְחֵירוּת יְרוּשָׁלַם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Milndenberg 282,212.3 (this coin). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273,57a. Traces of previous coin. Good Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 212.  
Ex El Fawar Hoard.  
Estimate: \$1,000*



- 20495 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.31 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{לְחֵירוּת יְרוּשָׁלַם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Milndenberg 282, 213 (these dies). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273, 57a. Traces of previous coin. Very Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.  
Estimate: \$500*



- 20496 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 2.94 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{לְחֵירוּת יְרוּשָׁלַם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Milndenberg 284, 215 (these dies, three listed). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273, 57a. Emperor's bust from previous coin faces 12 o'clock on reverse. Rare die pairing. Extremely Fine.

*Ex C. Kaufman by private treaty.  
Estimate: \$1,000*



- 20497 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (18mm, 3.15 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{לְחֵירוּת יְרוּשָׁלַם}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); elongated lyre (kinor or kithara) with three strings. Milndenberg 284, 216 (these dies). Hendin 1435. TJC 274. AJC II 273, 57a. Traces of previous coin. Very Fine. Estimate: \$400





- 20498 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR zuz (19mm, 3.24 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{לְחֵם חֵם לְחֵם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); elongated lyre (*kinor* or *kithara*) with three strings. Mildenberg 285, 219 (these dies, two listed). Hendin 1435. Emperor's profile from previous coin faces 3 o'clock on reverse, no legend visible, could be Domitian or Galba. Rare die pairing. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,500

### Rare Irregular Issue



- 20499 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR irregular zuz (18mm, 2.62 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simo[n]*); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{לְחֵם חֵם לְחֵם}$  (*for the freedom of [Je]rusalem*); elongated lyre (*kinor* or *kithara*) with three strings. Mildenberg 288, 233 (these dies, one listed). Samuels 130 (this coin). Far superior to the single specimen listed by Mildenberg. Extremely rare irregular issue. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$10,000



- 20500 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AR irregular fourree zuz (18mm, 2.25 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Sim[on]*); bunch of grapes in three lobes hanging from branch, which has a tendril to the left and a leaf to the right /  $\text{לְחֵם חֵם לְחֵם}$  (*for the freedom of [Je]rusalem*); elongated lyre (*kinor* or *kithara*) with three strings. Types and legends are crude. Mildenberg 288, 236.2 (this coin, two listed). Irregular issue, extremely rare and of great numismatic interest. Very Fine.

*Ex A. Bromberg by private treaty.*  
Estimate: \$6,000



- 20501 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE middle bronze (21mm, 11.03 g, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*); seven-branched palm tree with two bunches of dates /  $\text{לְחֵם חֵם לְחֵם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); vine leaf on tendril. Hendin 1437. Mild. 319, 100 (same dies). TJC 291. AJC II 275, 74. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$400



- 20502 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE middle bronze (27mm, 9.12 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (*Simon*); seven-branched palm tree with two bunches of dates /  $\text{לְחֵם חֵם לְחֵם}$  (*for the freedom of Jerusalem*); vine leaf on tendril. Mildenberg 320, 107 (these dies). Hendin 1437. TJC 291. AJC II 275, 74. Rogers 57, 98c, pl VII, 3 (this coin). Overstruck on a coin of Hadrian struck at Gaza, year B $\eta$ P (131/2 AD) (BMC pl. XV, 14; Ros 60); clear profile of Tyche with heifer and date facing 5 o'clock on obverse, Greek on reverse 7-8 o'clock. Good Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 252.*  
*Ex Sotheby 25 X 84 (Brand, part 7) lot 233.*  
Estimate: \$750



- 20503 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE middle bronze (24mm, 12.50 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon); seven-branched palm tree with two bunches of dates /  $\text{לְוִי אֶלְנָה שְׁמֹרֶת}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); vine leaf on tendril. Mildenberg 325, 134 (these dies, one listed). Hendin 1437. TJC 291. AJC II 275,74. Samuels 133 (this coin). Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$500



- 20504 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE middle bronze (25mm, 11.27 gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon); seven-branched palm tree with two bunches of dates /  $\text{לְוִי אֶלְנָה שְׁמֹרֶת}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); vine leaf on tendril. Mildenberg 327, 142 (these dies, two listed). Hendin 1437. TJC 291. AJC II 275,74. Overstruck on a coin of Hadrian struck at Gaza, year  $\text{ט"פ}$  (132/3 AD) (Ros 63); Gaza mintmark and date clear at 8-10 o'clock obverse, back of Hadrian's head and Greek to 6 o'clock on reverse. Light brown patina, earthen highlights. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$1,000



- 20505 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE small bronze (18.5mm, 3.48 gm, 6h).** Hybrid third and first year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Eleazar the priest) across fields; seven-branched palm tree with two bunches of dates /  $\text{לְוִי אֶלְנָה שְׁמֹרֶת}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); bunch of grapes with branch and small leaf. Mildenberg 331,155 (these dies). Hendin 1438 (these dies). TJC 300 (these dies). AJC II 276,79 (these dies). Samuels 134 (this coin). Rare. About Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-9/10-1989 (Jascha Heifitz Collection II), 2940.*  
Estimate: \$2,500



- 20506 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE small bronze (18mm, 4.91 g, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Jerusalem) across fields; seven-branched palm tree with two bunches of dates /  $\text{לְוִי אֶלְנָה שְׁמֹרֶת}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); bunch of grapes with branch and small leaf. Hendin 1439. Mild. 332,156 (same dies). TJC 301. AJC II 276,80. Very Fine plus. Estimate: \$400



- 20507 Bar Kokhba Revolt (132 - 135 AD). AE small bronze (19mm, 5.91gm, 6h).** Undated third year (134/135 AD).  $\text{יְהוֹנָתָן}$  (Simon); across fields; seven-branched palm tree with two bunches of dates /  $\text{לְוִי אֶלְנָה שְׁמֹרֶת}$  (for the freedom of Jerusalem); bunch of grapes with branch and small leaf. Mildenberg 333,159 (these dies). Hendin 1440. TJC 302a (these dies). AJC II 276,81a (these dies). Brown patina. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$500

*End of Session Two*







## SESSION THREE

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## Judaea Capta

*"So fell Jerusalem in the second year of Vespasian's reign, on the 8th September, captured five times before and now for the second time laid utterly waste...There was no one left for the soldiers to kill or plunder" –Josephus, The Jewish War: 21,22.*

The Roman emperors could not depend on the internet or newspapers to spread news. On the other hand, they used one method of communication with extraordinary skill—coins. The victory of the Roman troops over Judaea under Vespasian and his son Titus took on a disproportionate importance to these rulers. One reason, after all, is that this very victory was the event that propelled Vespasian toward becoming emperor at the end of the torturous and confusing year of 68 AD, the year of the four emperors (Nero, Galba, Otho, and Vitellius). A second reason is that from the very beginning of his rule, Vespasian recognized that he was creating a dynasty, and dynasties flourished based upon legendary victories and tales of might.

Michael Grant wrote that Roman coins, "served a propaganda purpose far greater than has any other national coinage before or since. This was the means which the Roman government, lacking modern media of publicity, used to insinuate into every house in the empire each changing nuance of imperial achievement and policy. Their unremitting use of this means is evidence enough...that in the course of their vast circulation these coins were studied with an attentiveness that is quite alien to our practices."

Each of the Judaea Capta coins is scarce—some are extremely rare—although the series struck under Vespasian and Titus was extensive and included coins with legends such as IVDAEA CAPTA, IVDAEA DEVICTA, DE IVDAEVS and others.

Even Vespasian's second son, Domitian, issued a series of coins echoing his family's victory, which were struck at Caesarea Maritima, although he had nothing to do with the campaign against the Jews. —dh

## JUDAEA CAPTA: LOCAL ISSUES



**20508 Vespasian (AD 69 - 79).** AE (21mm, 6.71 gm, 11h). Caesarea Maritima. ΑΥΤΟΚΡ ΟΥ ΕΣΠΑΣΙΑΝΟΥ (*of Emperor Vespasian*); laureate head of Vespasian to r. / ΙΟΥΔΑΙΑΣ ΕΛΛΩΚΥΑΣ (*Judaea captured*); Nike stands r. with l. foot on helmet; she writes with r. hand on shield hanging from palm tree. Hendin 1445. TJC 380. AJC II, 288,1. RPC II,2310. Rare. About Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 1275.*  
 Estimate: \$500



**20509 Titus (AD 79 - 81).** AE (20mm, 7.67 gm, 12h). Caesarea Maritima. ΑΥΤΟΚΡ ΤΙΤΟΣ ΚΑΙΣΑΡ (*of Emperor Titus Caesar*); laureate head of Titus to r. / ΙΟΥΔΑΙΑΣ ΕΛΛΩΚΥΑΣ (*Judaea captured*); Nike stands r. with l. foot on helmet; she writes ΑΥΤ Τ ΚΑΙC with r. hand on shield hanging from palm tree. Hendin 1446. TJC 381. AJC II, 288,2. RPC II,2311. Light tooling both sides, brown patina. Good Very Fine.  
 Estimate: \$500



- 20510 Titus (AD 79 - 81). AE (20mm, 7.87 gm, 12h).** Caesarea Maritima. ΑΥΤΟΚΡ ΤΙΤΟΣ ΚΑΙΣΑΡ (of Emperor Titus Caesar); laureate head of Titus to r. / ΙΟΥΔΑΙΑΣ ΕΛΛΩΚΥΑΣ (*Judaea captured*); Nike stands r., writing on shield supported by her knee, palm tree at r. Hendin 1447. TJC 382. AJC II, 289,3. RPC II,2312. Brown patina. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$750



- 20511 Titus (AD 79 - 81). AE (25mm, 12.57 gm, 12h).** Caesarea Maritima. ΑΥΤΟΚΡ ΤΙΤΟΣ ΚΑΙΣΑΡ; laureate head of Titus to r. / ΙΟΥΔΑΙΑΣ ΕΛΛΩΚΥΙΑΣ (*Judaea captured*); trophy, Judaea sits mourning l. below l., her hands tied, shield to r. of trophy. Hendin 1449. TJC 384. AJC II, 289,5. RPC II,2313. Cleaned, dark patina. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$850



- 20512 Domitian (AD 81 - 96). AE (25mm, 17.72 gm, 12h).** Caesarea Maritima. [IMP DOM]ITIANVS CAESAR DIVI F AVG; laureate head of Domitian to r. / DIVOS T AVG; Titus in military dress stands and faces front holding spear in r. hand and *parazonium* in l. Hendin 1451. TJC 387. AJC II, 290,2. RPC II,2301. Rare. Dark brown patina. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,500



- 20513 Domitian (AD 81 - 96). AE (11mm, 1.26 gm, 12h).** Caesarea Maritima. IMP DOMITIANVS CAESAR DIVI F AVG; laureate head of Domitian to r. / Rudder. Hendin 1453. TJC 381. AJC II, 290, 4. RPC II, 2303. Rare. Brown patina. About Very Fine. Estimate: \$500



- 20514 Domitian (AD 81 - 96). AE (25mm, 10.46 gm, 12h).** Caesarea Maritima. DOMITIANVS CAES AVG GERMANICVS; laureate head of Domitian to l. / Minerva in flowing gown advances l. holding trophy in r. hand and shield and spear in l. Hendin 1455. TJC 392. AJC II, 291, 7. RPC II, 2305. Dark green patina. About Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$650



- 20515 Domitian (AD 81 - 96). AE (28mm, 16.19 gm, 1h).** Caesarea Maritima. IMP CAES DOMIT AVG GERM PM TR P XI; radiate head of Domitian to r. / IMP XXI COS XVI CENS P P P; seven-branched palm tree with two bunches of dates. Hendin 1458. TJC 394. AJC II, 291, 9. RPC II,2307. Samuels 140 (this coin). About Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$1,250



- 20516 Domitian (AD 81 - 96). AE (24mm, 16.19 gm, 1h).** Caesarea Maritima. IMP CAES DOMIT AVG GERM TR P XII; laureate head of Domitian to r. / IMP XXIII COS XVI CENS P P P; Victory in flowing gown advances l., holding wreath in r. hand and small trophy in l. Hendin 1459. TJC 395. AJC II 291,10. Samuels 141 (this coin). Smooth, glossy brown patina. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$1,000

COUNTERMARKS OF THE 10TH ROMAN LEGION



- 20517 Tenth Roman Legion (late 1st - early 2nd cens. AD). AE (20mm, 5.26 gm, 12h).** LXF above boar, dolphin between its legs, all within rectangular countermark / Head in a rectangular countermark. This appears to have been struck upon a Titus coin from at Caesarea, Samaria. Hendin 1609 for this countermark. Barag pl. IX, 9 (this coin), with head. Main countermark is VF, coin and second countermark are fair. Estimate: \$600



- 20518 Tenth Roman Legion (late 1st - early 2nd cens. AD). AE (23 X 25mm, 15.45 gm, 12h).** Sebaste, Samaria. Laureate head of Domitian r. / Tyche standing to left. LXF countermark in rectangular punch. Hendin 1613a. Sofaer pl. 61,3. Ros. III 54,3. Countermark is Very Fine coin is fair to Fine. Estimate: \$350

JUDAEA CAPTA: ROMAN ISSUES



- 20519 Vespasian (AD 69 - 79). AV aureus (20mm, 7.13 gm, 6h).** Undated c. AD 71, Lugdunum (Lyon). IMP CAES VESPAS AVG PM TR P IIII P P COS IIII; laureate head of Vespasian to r. / DE IVDAEIS; trophy. Hendin 1476. Calico 627. RIC II 143,1179. Cohen, 378,139. BMC II 182,402. Scarce. Previously mounted. Fine. Estimate: \$10,000



- 20520 Vespasian (AD 69 - 79). AR denarius (19mm, 3.42 gm, 12h).** Undated c. AD 21 December 69-early 70, Rome. IMP CAESAR VESPASIANVS AVG; laureate head of Vespasian to r. / IVDAEA in exergue; mourning Jewess sits on r. to r. of trophy, head resting on hand. Hendin 1479. RIC 58, 2. Cohen 226. BMC 35. Samuels 144 (this coin). Extremely Fine.

*Ex. Superior Galleries (Grover) 12-6-1986, 1812.*  
Estimate: \$1,250



- 20521 Vespasian (AD 69 - 79). AR denarius (19mm, 3.45 gm, 6h).** AD 72-73, Antioch. IMP CAES VESP AVG PM COS IIII; laureate head of Vespasian to r. / VICTORIA AVGVSTI; Victory moving to r. crowns trophy with wreath. RIC 178, 1557. BMC 509. RPC 1929. Superb. Estimate: \$2,000



- 20522 Vespasian (AD 69 - 79). AR denarius (18mm, 3.57 gm, 6h).** AD 72-73, Antioch. IMP CAES VESP AVG COS IIII; laureate head of Vespasian r. / Vespasian stands in triumphal quadriga to r., holds branch in r. hand and scepter in l. Hendin 1491. RIC 178,1559. BMC 512. RPC 1931. Very rare. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$10,000



## Magnificent IVDEA CAPTA sestertius



**20523 Vespasian (69 - 79 AD). AE sestertius (35mm, 25.62 gm, 4h).** AD 71 Rome. IMP CAES VESPASIAN AVG PM TR P P COS III; laureate head of Vespasian to r. / IVDEA CAPTA; S C in exergue; palm tree; male captive on l., stands facing r., on r. mourning Jewess sits to r. on cuirass, arms around both figures. Hendin 1500b. RIC 71,161. BMC 543. Rare with IVDEA (vs. IVDAEA) legend. Tiber patina. Impressive Good Extremely Fine.

*A truly extraordinary sestertius, with bright orichalcum (brass) surfaces. If one wanted to know what a Roman sestertius looked like "fresh from the mint," with virtually no signs of wear or the usual heavy coating of cupric oxide (patina), one need look no further than this coin. As there are no indications of tooling to remove oxides or patination, one must surmise that the coin was buried in anaerobic conditions such as might be encountered in a stream bed (hence the term "Tiber patina") or peat bog. Roman sestertii excavated from the bog sites at the fortress of Vindolanda in Northern Britain often display a similar "freshly struck" appearance. Estimate: \$60,000*

## Beautiful Patinated Sestertius



**20524** Vespasian (69 - 79 AD). AE sestertius (35mm, 30.40gm, 12h). AD 71 Rome. IMP CAES VESPASIAN AVG PM TR P P P COS III; laureate head of Vespasian to r. / IVDEA CAPTA; S C in exergue; palm tree; male captive on l., stands facing r., on r. mourning Jewess sits to r. on cuirass, arms around both figures. Hendin 1500b. RIC 71,161. BMC 543. Samuels 146 (this coin). Rare. Beautiful and natural light green patina. Extremely Fine.

*In contrast to the previous sestertius, this example displays a perfect and untouched light green patina, with no signs of even minimal cleaning, smoothing or tooling.*

Estimate: \$45,000



**20525** Vespasian (AD 69 - 79). AE sestertius (34mm, 25.16 gm, 6h). AD 71, Rome. IMP CAES VESPASIAN AVG PM TR P P P COS III; laureate head of Vespasian to r. / VICTORIA AVGVSTI; S C in exergue; Victory stands to l. of palm tree facing r., l. foot on helmet, inscribing OB CIV SER (or variant) on shield. Hendin 1507, RIC 74,221. BMC 582 var. BN 561. Tiber patina. Some deposits on obverse and pitting in fields. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$3,500

### Superb Vespasian Portrait



**20526** Vespasian (69 - 79 AD). AE sestertius (34mm, 25.49 gm, 7h). AD 71 Tarraco. IMP CAES VESPASIAN AVG PM TR P P P COS III; laureate head of Vespasian to l. / VICTORIA AVGVSTI; S C in exergue; palm tree; mourning Jewess sits on l. (facing Victory) to r.; Victory stands on l. to r., with l. foot on helmet, inscribing on shield set on tree. Hendin 1508d var. RIC 74,226. Samuels 147 (this coin). Very rare. Dark green patina with areas of red, smoothed in fields, particularly on reverse. Wonderful portrait. Extremely Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-5-1991 (Bromberg I), 299.*

*Ex Leu 33, 3-5-1983, 36.*

*Ex Auktion Aes Rude 11-3-1978, 407.*

Estimate: \$60,000



## Subjugation of Judaea



- 20527** Vespasian (AD 69 - 79). AE sestertius (32mm, 25.68 gm, 5h). AD 71, Rome. IMP CAES VESPAS AVG P M TR P P P COS III; laureate head of Vespasian to r. / S C in exergue; Vespasian stands l., r. foot on prow, holding Victory and vertical spear; before him Jew kneels r., holding out hands and Jewess advances r. with extended right arm holding branch, palm tree on far l. Hendin 1513, RIC 76, 249. BN 612. Samuels 148 (this coin, described as COS IIII). Some obverse roughness. Extremely rare. Good Very Fine.

*Ex NFA Fall Mail Bid Sale (18 October 1990), lot 1518.*

*An extraordinary depiction of the subjugation of Judaea, this sestertius depicts the Jews as actually welcoming and thanking their oppressor. While seemingly fanciful, it should be noted that many thousands of Jews benefited from, or at least were resigned to, Roman rule and did not support the rebellion.*

Estimate: \$40,000



- 20528** Vespasian (AD 69 - 79). AE as (29mm, 11.59 gm, 6h). AD 71, Rome. IMP CAES VESPASIAN AVG COS III; laureate head of Vespasian to r. / IVDAEA CAPTA; S C in exergue; palm tree, mourning Jewess seated on r. to r. on cuirass, head on her hand, Jewess surrounded by arms. Hendin 1554a, RIC 80, 305. BMC 192,788, pl. 36.5 (as Tarraco). Pitting in fields. Brown patina. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,500



- 20529** Vespasian (AD 69 - 79). AE as (27mm, 12.43 gm, 6h). AD 71, Rome. IMP CAES VESPASIAN AVG COS III; laureate head of Vespasian to r. / IVDEA CAPTA; S C in exergue; palm tree, mourning Jewess seated on r. to r. on cuirass, head on her hand, three shields around. Hendin 1554b, RIC 79,305. BN 580. Damage to cheek, green patina. Very Fine/Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$2,500

## Vespasian's Deification



**20530 Divus Vespasian (69 - 79 AD). AV aureus (20mm, 7.33 gm, 6h).** Struck by Titus, AD 80-81, Rome. DIVVS AVGVSTVS VESPASIANVS (outward); laureate head of Vespasian to r. / EX S C across fields; draped Victory strides l. with both hands placing shield on a trophy; mourning Jewess sits l. below. Hendin 1581. RIC 230,363. Cohen 143. BN 89. Rare. Superb.

*Ex Sotheby's Zurich 11-28-1986, 29.*

*The death and deification of Vespasian in AD 79 was marked by an extensive commemorative coinage struck by his son and successor Titus. Chief among the regime's accomplishments so celebrated was the conquest of Judaea, figuratively depicted on the reverse of this splendid and rare gold aureus.*  
Estimate: \$70,000

## Spectacular IVDAEA DEVICTA Aureus of Titus



- 20531 Titus as Caesar (79 - 81 AD). AV aureus (18mm, 7.49 gm, 12h).** Undated c. AD 70, Judaea or Antioch. IMP T CAESAR VESPASIANVS; laureate head of Titus with aegis to r. / IVDAEA DEVICTA (outward from top l.); Victory stands r., l. foot on helmet, inscribes IMP T CAES on shield hanging on palm tree. Hendin 1478 (incorrectly described with bust Vespasian). RPC 1912 var. BN 384. RIC 175,1535. Nick on cheek. Lustrous Good Extremely Fine.

*An unparalleled example of this extreme rarity, certainly the finest example known for the type. Aside from the outstanding state of preservation, with only a small nick on the cheek keeping it from perfection, this aureus also is the only known specimen with a complete inscription, including IMP T CAES on the shield.*

*Most scholars agree on a date early in AD 70 for the issue, which places it before or during the siege of Jerusalem (May-September 70). The bold claim of IVDAEA DEVICTA ("Judaea is Conquered") would thus seem to anticipate an inevitable Roman victory and complete subjugation of Judaea. However a final conclusion to the Jewish War would not come until the fall of Masada in 73.*

*Various mint sites have been proposed for the IVDAEA DEVICTA issues of the East, with Antioch and Tyre being most often cited. However, the most recent revision of Roman Imperial Coinage II by Carradice and Buttrey contains the following passage on page 46: "This group of aurei has a distinctive style, with elongated portraits, outward facing legends and heavily pelleted borders, which can be linked to a group of Syrian tetradrachms (RPC II, 1963-9). Stylistic links with the provincial 'Judaea Capta' coinage and other evidence points to a Judaeian origin for these coins."*

Estimate: \$475,000



## Titus in Triumph



**20532 Titus as Caesar (79 - 81 AD). AV aureus (19mm, 6.59 gm, 6h).** AD 72-73 Rome. T CAES IMP VESP PON TR POT; laureate head of Titus to r. / Titus stands in triumphal *quadriga* to r., holds branch in r. hand and scepter in l. Hendin 1469. RIC 84, 370. BMC 520. BN 73. About Extremely Fine.

*The Triumph of Titus and Vespasian for their victory in the Jewish War was perhaps the formative event of the Flavian dynasty. Father and son were both anxious to unite the Roman people under their rule after the traumas of the Year of the Four Emperors (AD 68-69), and placed maximum emphasis on what could be viewed by some detractors as a minor victory in a desert backwater. Moreover, Rome had not seen a proper Triumph for nearly 30 years, in the reign of Claudius. A detailed description of the procession can be found in Josephus' "Wars of the Jews," book VII, chapter V.*  
 Estimate: \$30,000



- 20533 Titus as Caesar (AD 69 - 79). AR denarius (18mm, 3.23 gm, 6h).** AD 72-73, Antioch. T CAES IMP VESP PON TR POT; laureate head of Titus r. / Palm tree; on l. Titus stands r. in military dress facing r., l. foot on helmet, holding spear in r. hand and *parazonium* in l., on r. mourning Jewess sits to r. Hendin 1492. RIC 178,1562. RPC 1935. Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,000



### Exceptional Triumphal Sestertius



**20534** Titus as Caesar (AD 79 - 81). AE sestertius (34mm, 26.61 gm, 8h). AD 72-73, Rome. T CAES VESP IMP PON TR POT COS II CENS; laureate head of Titus to r. / S C in exergue; Titus stands in triumphal *quadriga* to r., holds branch in r. hand and scepter in l., on side of cart is Victory to r. holding wreath. Hendin 1542. RIC 103, 611. BN 671. Samuels 151 (this coin). Extraordinary quality for this type. Natural gray-green patina. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$42,500





- 20535 Titus as Caesar (AD 79 - 81). AE sestertius (33mm, 26.33 gm, 6h).** AD 72-73, Rome. T CAES VESPAS IMP PON TR POT COS II; laureate head of Titus to r. / VICTORIA AVGVSTI; S C in fields; Victory stands to l. of palm tree facing r., l. foot on helmet, inscribing VIC AVG on shield. Hendin 1522. RIC 88,433. BMC 38. BN 624. Dark green patina with some smoothing, especially on obverse. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$9,000



- 20536 Titus (AD 79 - 81). AV aureus (19mm, 7.30 gm, 6h).** AD 80-81, Rome. IMP TITVS CAES VESPASIAN AVG P M (outward); laureate head of Titus to r. / TR P VIIII IMP XIII COS VII P P; male Jewish captive kneels r., hands bound behind, trophy above. Hendin 1578a. RIC 200,29. BMC 14. Edge splits, field marks obverse and reverse and slight edge damage. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$15,000



- 20537 Titus (AD 79 - 81). AR denarius (18mm, 3.50 gm, 6h).** AD 79, Rome. IMP TITVS CAES VESPASIAN AVG P M; laureate head of Titus to r. / TR P IX IMP XV COS VIII P P; trophy flanked by seated captives, hands tied behind backs, female on l, male on r. Hendin 1584. RIC 206,102. BMC 37-9. BN 34. Small die defect on eye. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$750



- 20538 Titus (AD 79 - 81). AE sestertius (35.5mm, 23.63 gm, 6h).** AD 80-81, Rome. IMP T CAES VESP AVG P M TR P P P COS VIII; laureate head of Titus to r. / IVD C[AP] across fields; S C in exergue; palm tree; mourning Jewess sits on r. to r. on pile of arms; on l. of tree mourning Jew with hands bound stands l., arms on ground. Hendin 1591. RIC 288,149. BMC 164. BN 158. Light brown patina. Good Very Fine/Very Fine. Estimate: \$2,500

### Rare Bithynian Judaea Capta Issue



- 20539 Bithynia, Asia Minor. Titus (79 - 81 AD). AE (29mm, 13.96 gm, 6h).** ΑΥΤΟΚΡΑ ΤΙΤΟΣ ΚΑΙΣΑΡ ΣΕΒΑΣ ΥΙΟΣ; laureate head of Titus to r. / ΕΠΙ Μ ΜΑΙΚΙΟΥ ΡΟΥΦΟΥ ΑΝΘΥΠΑΤΟΥ (*in the proconsulship of M. Maecus Rufus*); palm tree, on l. cuirass, two spears, and helmet; on r. two spears and shield. Hendin 1575. RIC 604. RPC II 612. Waddington Rec. Gen. pl. XXXV,10. Samuels 139 (this coin). Very rare, particularly in this state of preservation. Natural green-red patina. Extremely Fine.

*This provincial Roman coin, attributed to the Koinon of Bithynia, is clearly related to the Jewish War. RPC II p. 97 notes that this coin has "...significance beyond Bithynia: the palm tree with obverse of Titus is a clear allusion to Titus' participation in the defeat of Judaea..."*

Estimate: \$12,000

### Two Rare Trajanic Restitution Issues



- 20540 Vespasian, restored by Trajan (AD 98 - 117). AV aureus (19mm, 7.12 gm, 6h).** Restitution issue, c. AD 107. Rome, AD . IMP CAESAR VESPASIANVS AVG, laureate head of Vespasian to r. / IMP CAES TRAIAN AVG GER DAC P P REST; male Jewish captive kneels l., hands bound behind, trophy above. Hendin 1601 var. Calico 705 var. RIC II 312,827 var. Cohen 419,649 var. BMC III 143,703 var. Extremely Rare. Edges smoothed for mounting. Fine.  
Estimate: \$12,000



- 20541 Titus, restored by Trajan (AD 98 - 117). AV aureus (19mm, 6.96 gm, 6h).** Restitution issue, c. AD 107. Rome. IMP TITVS CAES VESPASIAN AVG P M; laureate head of Titus to r. / IMP CAES TRAIAN AVG GER DAC P P REST; military trophy. Hendin 1602. Calico 800. RIC II 313,831. Cohen, Titus 402. BMC III 145,19. Extremely rare. Fine.  
Estimate: \$9,000

## Nerva's Mysterious FISCI IVDAICI Sestertius



**20542** Nerva (96 - 98 AD). AE sestertertius (32mm, 23.63 gm, 6h). AD 96, Rome. IMP NERVA CAES AVG P M TR P COS II P; laureate head of Nerva to r. / FISCI IVDAICI CALVMNIA SVBLATA (*the insult of the Jewish Tax has been removed*); S C in fields; large palm tree with two bunches of dates. Hendin 1603. BMCRE 88. Dark green patina with minimal cleaning. Wonderful portrait! Surely among the finest known examples of this enigmatic issue. Extremely Fine.

*There is ongoing discussion regarding whether this coin actually commemorates the elimination of the insult of the tax on Jews or the cessation of the insult to the Emperor of the Jews continuing to pay taxes to Jerusalem (cf. Hendin pp. 457-458). For a fascinating discussion of this coin as it relates to the separation between Judaism and early Christianity see Marius Heemstra's recent book **The Fiscus Judaicus and the Parting of the Ways**. Estimate: \$65,000*



## Hadrian Enters Judaea



**20543 Hadrian (117 - 138 AD). AE sestertertius (30mm, 22.84 gm, 12h).** Rome. HADRIANVS AVG COS III P P; bare, draped bust of Hadrian r. / ADVENTVI AVG IVDAEAE; S C in exergue; Hadrian, togate, stands r., raising r. hand, facing Judaea, who holds object (cup?) in l. hand, a bull alongside the altar, two children stand l. in front of Judaea holding palm, a second child stands l. behind her also holding a palm. Hendin 1604c. RIC. 893. Cohen 54. BMC 1657. Samuels 153 (this coin). Tan patina. Smoothing in fields, reverse scratches. About Very Fine. Estimate: \$3,500

## Unique Judaea As



**20544 Hadrian (117 - 138 AD). AE as (25mm, 13.25 gm, 12h).** Rome. [HADRIA]NVS AVG COS III P P. bare bust of Hadrian r. / [ADVENTVI A]VG IVDAEAE; S C in exergue; Hadrian, togate, stands r., raising r. hand, facing Judaea, who holds object (cup?) in l. hand, bull alongside altar, child stands l. in front of Judaea holding palm, a second child stands l. behind her also holding a palm. Hendin 1606 var. RIC 891. Cohen 56 var. BMC 1661 var. Apparently unique with this bust type. Slightly rough surfaces, green-brown patina. Nearly Extremely Fine / Good Very Fine.

*All examples of this reverse type are excessively rare in the AE as denomination. The bareheaded bust left is unpublished with this reverse.*

Estimate: \$25,000



## City Coins of Ancient Israel and Province of Arabia

The Roman provincial coins struck in the cities of ancient Israel, the Decapolis, and the Province of Arabia were struck after Augustus, when the more powerful cities gained the right to issue coins. The granting of the power to strike coins is a subject of much scholarly discussion, but these rights may have been granted by local authorities to promote loyalty to Rome as well as local commerce. City coins also often expressed local economic, political, and cultural issues of importance.

Thirty eight cities of ancient Israel and Transjordan issued coins—in Asia Minor and Greece and its islands nearly 450 cities issued coins of their own.

Local city coins circulated in ancient Israel together with other coins of the region, and the local coinage came to an end during the reign of Gallienus, around 268 AD, when the economies became so changed that the value of the bronze was greater than the nominal value of the coins.

The city coins of ancient Israel and nearby lands can be read as primary sources of information. M. Rostovtzeff observed that they “supply us with first-class information on some important points in their political, religious, and economic life. These sources have revealed to us not only the external appearance of many ancient cities, but also the main features of every aspect of their life—their walls, streets, gates, public places, public and private buildings, on the one hand, and on the other their municipal organization, their income and expenditure, their wealth and their sources of wealth, both public and private, their religious beliefs, their amusements, and their intellectual interests.”

Although the City Coins are not specifically Jewish or Christian coins, one must keep in mind that Jewish and early Christian populations were significant during this period. These were the days that the books of the Talmud and many early Christian writings were compiled in these cities, and the two religions developed side-by-side in the East, while Christianity began to spread its roots into Europe. —dh



- 20545 Abila, Decapolis. Elagabalus (218 - 222 AD). AE (31.5mm, 15.96 gm, 12h).** Draped and cuirassed bust of Elagabalus r., laureate; AYT KM AYP AV ANTWNEINO / Hexastyle temple facade with central arch and podium with stairs, flanked by two towers with doors and windows; in center, flaming altar; in front, colonnade (?); [CE] ABIAH below; KOI CY on l., NIENO (*of the people of Seleucia Abila in Coele-Syria*) on r.; above, figure standing and date: APIC (year 281 = 217/8 AD). Spijk. 21. Sofaer pl. 125,22. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$8,500



- 20546 Abila, Decapolis. Elagabalus (218 - 222 AD). AE (24mm, 10.89 gm, 12h).** Draped and cuirassed bust of Elagabalus r., laureate; AYT KMAY... / Tetrastyle temple facade with central arch and podium with stairs, flanked by two towers with doors and windows; in center, flaming altar; in front, colonnade (?); E CY; on l., ABIA... (*of the people of Seleucia Abila in Coele-Syria*), below, date above: BIIIC (year 282 = 218/9 AD). Spijk. 23. Ros. 23. Sofaer pl. 125, 23. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$350



- 20547 Adraa, Arabia. Commodus (177 - 192 AD). AE (29mm, 16.13 gm, 12h).** Draped and cuirassed young bust of Commodus r., laureate; AVT KAI .A.AV. KOMOΔOC / Tyche standing r. supporting labarum and resting foot on river god swimming (?); TYXH AΔPAHNWN.E.BO (*Tyche of the people of Adraa, year 72 = 177/8 AD*). Spijk. 7 var. Sofaer pl. 126, 6. Samuels 156 (this coin). Brown patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$750



- 20548 Adraa, Arabia. Valerian I (253 - 260 AD). AE (34mm, 11.01 gm, 2h).** Draped and cuirassed bust of Valerian r., seen from rear, laureate; AY K Π AIKIN BAΛEPIANOC CEBAC CEBA (partial) / River god (Yarmuk?) on r., reclining l., holding reed and cornucopia, leaning elbow on rock; on l., behind him, Tyche seated l., holding cornucopia, and looking at him, retrograde inscription, from r. to l., PANWN...AΔ (*of the people of Adraa*). Spijk. 15. Sofaer pl. 127, 14. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Good-Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 5-30-1990, 6963.*  
Estimate: \$350







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## Meshorer's Aelia Capitolina Collection

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# THE SHOSHANA COLLECTION OF ANCIENT JUDAEAN CITY COINS



## 20549 Aelia Capitolina (Roman Jerusalem) Collection.

“At Jerusalem, [Hadrian] founded a city in place of the one which had been razed to the ground, naming it Aelia Capitolina, and on the site of the temple of the god he raised a new temple to Jupiter”— Dio Cassius (Roman History LXIX, 12,1).

This is a comprehensive collection of 164 coins of Aelia Capitolina from Hadrian to (117-138 AD) through Hostilian (251 AD). Underscoring the importance of this collection, we note that 80 of these coins were used as research material and photographed for Ya'akov Meshorer's book *The Coinage of Aelia Capitolina* (1989). The collection was once Meshorer's own, and was acquired by the Collector around 20 years ago. When Meshorer's book was published he also included photographs of coins from both public and private collections to express his gratitude for assistance that had been provided. Most of the key rarities are the same coins illustrated in the classic book. Many coins in this collection are among the rarest and most historic coins of Jerusalem during its relatively short tenure under the name Aelia Capitolina. The coins are numbered and reverses are briefly described below. **All coins marked with an asterisk (\*) are illustrated in Meshorer's book.** GRADE. The coins in this group grade from Very Good to Very Fine or better.

**Hadrian (117-138 AD):** 1\*, distyle temple with the Capitoline Triad (Jupiter, Minerva, and Juno); 2\*, Hadrian as founder plowing with bull and cow, legionary vexillum behind; 3\*, legionary eagle on shaft; 4, boar; 5, galley; 7, Sabina bust; 8\*, Aelius bust; 9\* Antoninus Pius bust. **Antoninus Pius (138-161 AD):** 11\*, hexastyle temple with Tyche-Astarte; 12, Marcus Aurelius bust; 13, Sarapis bust; 14\*, Dionysos and panther; 15, she-wolf suckles twins; 16, she-wolf suckles twins on platform; 18, tetrastyle temple with Tyche; 19\*, tetrastyle temple with Tyche; 20, tetrastyle temple with Tyche; 21, Tyche bust; 21, second example; 21, third example; 22, Dioscuri with eagle between; 23\*, Dioscuri; 24\*, Dionysos and panther; 25, Ares with spear and shield; 26\*, Faustina Sr. bust; 27\*, Faustina Sr. (as Diva) bust; 28, Sarapis bust; 29, 3 female figures; 30\*, boar; 31\*, war galley; 32\*, war galley; 33\*, dolphin; 34, legionary eagle; 36, Victory; 37a\*, Marcus Aurelius bust; 38\* Marcus Aurelius bust; 39, Faustina Jr. bust. **Marcus Aurelius (161-180 AD):** 43, she-wolf suckles; 45\*, Sarapis seated on throne, Cerberus at feet; 46, trophy of arms; 47, Tyche; 47, similar example. **Marcus Aurelius & Lucius Verus (161-169 AD) (all obverses with confronted busts):** 52, tetrastyle temple with Tyche; 52a\*, same but cut in half; 53\*, tetrastyle temple with Tyche; 54, Victory with palm branch; 54a\*, similar example; 55, Tyche seated on throne; 56, Sarapis bust. **Marcus Aurelius & Commodus (161-180 AD):** 57\*, confronted busts obverse / Sarapis bust; 59, Commodus bust; 60, Commodus on horseback. **Lucius Verus (161-169 AD):** 61, she-wolf suckles twins; 62a, Sarapis on throne; 63, Faustina Jr. bust; 64\*, Faustina Jr. bust; 64a, Faustina Jr. bust; 65\* Lucilla bust; 65a\*, incused obverse on reverse. **Commodus (180-192 AD):** 66, Tyche bust; 67, Crispina and Lucilla clasp hands; 68\*, Tyche; 69, Tyche; 70\*, Dionysos and panther; 70, second example; 71, Sarapis bust; 71a, Sarapis bust; 72, tetrastyle temple with Tyche; 73, Sarapis; 73a\*, Sarapis; 74, Crispina bust; 76\*, Victory advancing r. **Septimius Severus (193-211 AD):** 78\*, tetrastyle temple with Tyche and two figures; 80\* Caracalla and Geta clasp hands. **Septimius Severus & Julia Domna:** 81a\* Jugate busts obverse / Caracalla and Geta, togated, clasp hands. **Julia Domna, wife of Septimius Severus:** 82, Tyche on throne; 83, Nemesis stands l. **Geta (209-211 AD):** 84\*, Dionysos and panther; 85, Dionysos and panther. **Caracalla (211-217 AD):** 86, tetrastyle temple with Tyche; 86a\*, similar type; 86b\* similar type; 95\* (billon silver tetradrachm), eagle on thrysos with leaf between legs. **Macrinus (218 AD):** 96 (billon silver tetradrachm), eagle on thrysos with wine jar between legs; 102a\*, tetrastyle temple with Tyche and two victories; 102b\*, another example; 103, Tyche standing left; 104\* Sarapis bust r. **Diadumenian (217-218 AD):** 99\* (billon silver tetradrachm), eagle on thrysos with wine jar between legs; 106\*, tetrastyle temple with Tyche and two victories; 106b\*, similar example; 108\*, Sarapis with scepter. **Elagabalus (218-222 AD):** 111\*, founder plows r. with cow and bull; 113\*, founder plows l. with cow and bull; 114\*, she-wolf suckles twins; 115\*, she-wolf suckles twins; 116\*, she-wolf suckles twins; 117\*, she-wolf suckles twins; 120, she-wolf suckles twins; 120a\*, she-wolf suckles twins; 121\*, she-wolf suckles twins; 122, Tyche crowned by victory; 123, Tyche bust; 123a\*, Tyche bust; 124, Tyche bust; 125, tetrastyle temple with Tyche and two Victories; 125a, similar example; 126\*, tetrastyle temple with Tyche and two Victories; 126a, similar example; 127\*, Dioscuri riding horses; 128\*, Emperor on horseback; 128a\*, similar example; 129, Tyche stands at altar, legionary eagle; 129c\*, similar example; 129d\*, similar example; 129e, similar example; 130, Tyche stands at altar, column behind her, legionary eagle; 131\*, Tyche stands between two legionary standards one topped by eagle, the other a boar; 133, sacred stone with eagle in relief carried by quadriga; 133a\*, similar example; 133a, similar example; 133c\*, similar example; 134, Sarapis bust; 135, Sarapis bust; 136, Sarapis bust; 137, Tyche seated on throne. **Elagabalus & Severus Alexander (221-222 AD) (jugate busts obverse):** 139\*, Severus Alexander young bust; 140\*, Emperor on horseback; 140, similar example; 140a\*, similar example; 141\*, Elagabalus and Severus Alexander clasp hands; 141, similar example; 142\*, Tyche stands at altar, legionary eagle on standard; 142a\*, similar example; 143, sacred stone with eagle in relief carried by quadriga; 143, similar example. **Aquilia Severa, second and fourth wife Elagabalus (220-222 AD):** 145, Tyche bust. **Severus Alexander (222-235 AD):** 148\*, Tyche seated on throne; 148b, similar example; 149, similar example; 150, Tyche stands at altar, legionary eagle on standard; 151, Sarapis bust. **Trajan Decius (249-251 AD):** 152, Tyche stands at altar, legionary eagle on standard, Victory on column behind her; 153, Tyche stands at altar, legionary eagle on small bust in her hand, Victory on column behind her; 153b\*, similar example; 155, Tyche seated on throne; 156, Herennius Etruscus and Hostilian clasp hands; 157\*, city name in wreath; 158\*, Tyche bust (it appears that a small pit on reverse right has been filled since photographed for Meshorer book). **Herennia Etruscilla (249-251 AD):** 163\*, Herennius Etruscus and Hostilian (or Trajan Decius and H. Etruscus) clasp hands; 164\*, city name in wreath; 165, Tyche bust. **Herennius Etruscus (250-251 AD):** 166\*, Tyche stands at altar, legionary eagle on small bust in her hand, Victory on column behind her; 167\* Sarapis bust; 168a\*, she wolf suckles twins, legionary eagle above; 169\*, boar with legionary eagle and vexillum with LXF above; 170\*, Legionary eagle on base, topped by vexillum; 171, Zeus (?) stands, holding small bust and scepter; 172\*, Tyche bust. **Herennius Etruscus and Hostilian (251 AD) (jugate busts on obverse):** 176, Tyche bust. **Hostilian (251 AD):** 179, Tyche stands at altar, legionary eagle on small bust in her hand, Victory on column behind her; 179, similar example; 180\*, she-wolf suckles twins; 181, she-wolf suckles twins with legionary eagle above.

Estimate: \$100,000





- 20550** Aelia Capitolina, Judaea. Antoninus Pius (138-161 AD). AE (18mm, 4.17 gm, 12h). Draped bust of Antoninus Pius r., laureate; IMP CAES H ANTONINO / Boar standing r.; K A C (*Colony of Aelia Capitolina*). Mesh. 30. Ros. 19. Kad. 33. Sofaer pl.73, 36. Rare. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$350



- 20551** Aelia Capitolina, Judaea. Caracalla (198 - 217 AD). AR billon tetradrachm (27mm, 13.86 gm, 12h). Struck 215-217 AD. Draped Bust of Caracalla r., laureate; AYT KAI ANTWNONOC CE / Eagle with spread wings standing l. on thyrsos, holding wreath in beak; between legs, wine jug; below thyrsos, bunch of grapes; ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΕ ΥΠΙΑΤΟC Δ (*power of Tribune, Consul fourth time*). Mesh. 94a (this coin). Prieur 1618 (this coin, one listed). Rare. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$3,500

## Remarkable Aelia Capitolina Tetradrachm



- 20552** Aelia Capitolina, Judaea. Caracalla (198 - 217 AD). AR billon tetradrachm (28mm, 11.93 gm, 5h). Draped and cuirassed bust of Caracalla r., laureate, seen from front; AVT KAI ANTWNINOC CEB / Eagle with spread wings standing l. on thyrsos, holding wreath in beak; between legs, wine jug; ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΕ ΥΠΙΑΤΟC ΤΟ Δ (*power of Tribune, Consul fourth time*). Mesh. -. Prieur 1626. Sofaer pl. 76,80. An extraordinary example of this rarity, struck on a broad, round flan and possessing complete legends! Good extremely fine. Estimate: \$5,500



- 20553 Aelia Capitolina, Judaea. Macrinus (218 AD). AR billon tetradrachm (25mm, 13.05 gm, 12h).** Draped Bust of Macrinus r., laureate; AYT K M OΠA C MAKPINOC CB / Eagle with spread wings standing l. on thyrsos, holding wreath in beak; between legs, wine jug; below thyrsos, bunch of grapes; ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΕ ΙΥ[ΠΙΑΤΟC ΠΙΠ] (power of Tribune, Consul). Mesh. 96 var. Bellinger 359 var. Priour 1640. Dark brown find patina (making this resemble a bronze coin). Rare. Very Fine. Estimate: \$2,500



- 20554 Aelia Capitolina, Judaea. Elagabalus (218 - 222 AD). AE (24mm, 8.03 gm, 1h).** Draped bust of Elagabalus r., radiate; IMP C M AVR ANTONINVS AVG / Tetrastyle temple; within, Tyche standing l., holding bust and scepter, small Victories between outer columns; COL AEL CAP COMM (Colony of Aelia Capitolina Commodiana); in exergue: P F. Mesh. 125. Ros. 60. Sofaer pl. 78,111. Lightly smoothed, dark brown patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$350



- 20555 Jerusalem. Heraclius (610 - 641 AD). AV solidus (21mm, 4.32 gm, 6h).** DN HERACLIVS PP AVG; facing busts of Heraclius (l.) and Heraclius Constantine, each wearing chalmys and crown with cross. Heraclius wears short beard, cross above and between them, exergual line beneath / VICTORIA AVG; cross potent on three steps CONOB beneath. Sear 851. DO 188a (Alexandria). Ratto 1379-80. BN 3 (Alexandria). MIB 77 (Cyprus). Mint State.

*The attribution of this scarce solidus type to Jerusalem is not universally accepted, although an Eastern mint is considered certain.*  
Estimate: \$1,000

## Heraclius Defends Jerusalem



- 20556 Jerusalem. Heraclius (610 - 641 AD). AE follis (32mm, 16.91 gm, 6h).** DN HERAC PP AVG; crowned bust facing, with pointed beard, wearing consular robes, holding mappa and scepter with eagle / Large M, cross above, between ANNO and IIII, in exergue XC NIKA. Sear 852c. MIB pl. 14,X28. Very Rare. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine, surely among the finest known specimens.

*This remarkable follis was likely struck while Persian forces were laying siege to Jerusalem during the Byzantine-Sassanid War of AD 602-628. At some point, the East Romans changed the mint mark on copper folles struck in the city from a straightforward "Jerusalem" (IEPOCO) to "Christ Conquers" (X C NIKA), likely an attempt to rally a dispirited populace. If the reading of "Year Four" is a regnal date, it places the issue in AD 614, during the siege. An alternative theory holds that the date is an Indictional year, which would place the issue in AD 630/1, after the Byzantines recovered Jerusalem. The mint mark would thus mark celebration rather than defiance.*

Estimate: \$5,000



- 20557 Akko-Ptolemais, Phoenicia. Ptolemy II Philadelphus (285 - 246 BC). AE (31mm, 16.47gm, 12h).** Head of Zeus-Ammon r., diademed / Two eagles standing l. on thunderbolt with a pair of cornucopiae on shoulder of the eagle on the right; ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ (of Ptolemy the King), in l. field monogram of Π within O. Ros. 16. Sofaer pl. 3,37. Svoronos 790. Scarce. Brown patina. About Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$500



- 20558 Akko-Ptolemais, Phoenicia. Pre-Colonial period. AE (24mm, 11.73gm, 12h).** Jugate busts of Tyche and Zeus r. / Tyche standing on rudder l., holding cornucopia and palm branch and resting on tiller topped by a phlaston; on r., ΠΤΟΛΕ / ΜΑΕΩΝ / ΙΕΡΑΣ (of the people of Ptolemais, holy); on l., ΛΘ / ΑΣΥ / (year 9 = 41/0 BC). Ros. 39. Kadman 67. Sofaer pl. 17,111. Dark green patina. Very Fine. Estimate: \$500





- 20559 Akko-Ptolemais, Phoenicia. Mark Antony as Triumvir (43-32 BC).** AE (26mm, 10.56 gm, 12h). Head of Antony r., surrounded by laurel wreath / Tyche standing on rudder l., holding cornucopia and palm branch and resting on tiller topped by aphlaston; on r., ΠΤΟΛΕ / ΜΑΕΩΝ / ΙΕΡΑΣ (*of the people of Ptolemais, holy*); on l., ΛΙΑ / ΚΑΙ ΑΣΥ (year 11) = 39/8 BC. Kadman 73. RPC I 4740. Sofaer pl. 17,118. Rare. Dark green patina. Very Fine. Estimate: \$750



- 20560 Akko-Ptolemais, Phoenicia. Mark Antony and Cleopatra VII.** AE (24 X 26mm, 11.82 gm, 12h). Head of Antony r., surrounded by laurel wreath / Bust of Cleopatra r.; to l., [ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑ] (of the people of Ptolemais, holy, city of asylum); to r., [ΙΕΡΑΣ ΑΣΥΛΟΥ] (*of the people of Ptolemais, holy, city of asylum*); in l. field, date: ΛΓ (year 3); in r. field, date: [ΙΕ] (year 15 = 35/4 BC). Kadman 74. RPC I 4742. Sofaer pl. 7,119. Tooled and cleaned with rough patina. About Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,000



- 20561 Akko-Ptolemais, Phoenicia. Marc Antony with Cleopatra.** AE (23mm, 17.77 g, 12h). Marc Antony head r. surrounded by laurel wreath / ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΕΩΝ [ΙΕΡ ΚΑΙ ΑΣΥΛΟΥ ΙΕ] (*of the people of Ptolemais, holy and city of Asylum*); in r. field ΛΓ (year 3 = 43 BC) bust of Cleopatra r. Sofaer pl. 7,119. RPC 4742. Very rare. Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,000



- 20562 Akko-Ptolemais, Phoenicia. Commodus (177 - 192 AD).** AE (28.5mm, 19.11 gm, 6h). Draped bust of Commodus l.; IMP C M AV COMMODVS AVG / Bust of Serapis r.; in r. field, torch; COL PTOL (*colony of Ptolemais*). Kadman 110. Sofaer pl. 9,149. Samuels 163 (this coin). Dark green patina. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$6,000



- 20563 Akko-Ptolemais, Phoenicia. Commodus (177 - 192 AD).** AE (24.5mm, 14.07gm, 6h). Draped bust of Commodus l.; IMP C M AV COMMODVS / Tyche seated on rock to r., extending ears of grain towards river-god swimming at her feet; COL PTOL (*colony of Ptolemais*). Kadman 115. Ros 51. Sofaer pl. 9,150. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Fine-Very Fine. Estimate: \$350



- 20564 Akko-Ptolemais, Phoenicia. Commodus (177 - 192 AD).** AR billon tetradrachm (26mm, 11.61 gm, 12h). Struck 215-217 AD. Head of Caracalla r., laureate; ΑΥΤ Κ Μ Α Ν ΤΩΝΙΝΟC / Eagle standing facing, head r., holding wreath in beak; between legs Zeus Heliopolites flanked by facing bulls; ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΕ ΥΠΙΑΤΟC ΤΟ Δ (*power of Tribune, Consul fourth time*). Prieur 1223. Bell. 259. Sofaer pl. 11,179. A few deposits. Rare. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$1,500





- 20565 Akko-Ptolemais, Phoenicia. Valerian (253 - 260 AD). AE (27.5mm, 13.63 gm, 12h).** Draped bust of Valerian r., radiate; IMP C[AE LIC V]ALERIANVS AVG / Sacred tree flanked by two altars with snakes; in r. field, caduceus; COL PTOL (*colony of Ptolemais*). Kadman 246. Ros. 82. Sofaer pl. 1, 276. Cleaned, dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$650



- 20566 Anthedon, Judaea. Elagabalus (218 - 222 AD). AE (30mm, 13.76 gm, 12h).** Draped bust of Elagabalus to r., laureate; [AYT] K M AYP AN[TWINOC] / Tyche seated on chair l., holding short scepter and resting on shield between her feet; ANΘΗΔΟΝΟC [ETOYC] ... (*Anthedon year ?*). Ros. 4. Sofaer-. Samuels 165 (this coin). Some pitting and silicates, brown patina, earthen highlights. Extremely rare. Fine. Estimate: \$1,000



- 20567 Antipatris, Samaria. Elagabalus (218 - 222 AD). AE (25mm, 12.70 gm, 12h).** Draped bust of Elagabalus r., laureate; [AVT] K M AVP ANTONINOC / Bust of bearded deity (Zeus or River God?) r.; M AVP ANTIPATRIC (*Marcia Aurelia Antipatris*). Mesh. *City Coins* 151 (these dies). Samuels 167 (this coin). Cleaned, brown patina. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$2,500



- 20568 Ascalon, Judaea (2nd century BC). AR diobol (11mm, 1.07gm, 12h).** Aphrodite head r. wearing stephane and earring, hair in chignon, border of dots / AΣ above dove standing l., monogram on l., border of dots. BMC Palestine 104,1. Rare. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$450



- 20569 Ascalon, Judaea. Municipal coinage. AE (24mm, 10.13 gm, 12h).** Bearded male head r. (Ascalos?), crude style / Eagle standing l. on thunderbolt; palm branch behind shoulder; in l. field, dove; above it: AΣ (*Ascalon*); on r., ΘΜ (49 = 24/23 BC). BMC Palestine (Ascalon) 16; Cf. Ros. 8. Cf. Sofaer p. 87,33. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Good Fine. Estimate: \$250



- 20570 Ascalon, Judaea. Augustus (27 BC - 14 AD). AE (24mm, 10.15 gm, 12h).** Head of Augustus flanked by L E / Tyche standing facing looking l., holding tiller and small scepter; AC (*Ascalon*) in l. field above dove r.; on r., date: L ΘΡ (*year 109 = 5/6 AD*). Ros. 76. RPC I 4880. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Good Fine. Estimate: \$200



- 20571 Ascalon, Judaea. Antoninus Pius (138 - 161 AD). AE (22mm, 7.30 gm, 12h).** Bust of Antoninus Pius r., laureate; ANTONINOC / Tyche standing facing looking l., holding scepter and aphlaston; on l., ACKAAO (*Ascalon*); on r., dove l. and date: ΓNC (253 = 149/50 AD). Cf. BMC Palestine (Ascalon) 209. Cf. Ros. 180. Cf. Sofaer pl. 95,148. Samuels 168 (this coin). Brown patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$350

Remarkable Ascalon Reverse



- 20572** Ascalon, Judaea. Caracalla (198 - 217 AD). AR billon tetradrachm (26mm, 12.36 gm, 12h). Struck 215-217 AD. Laureate bust of Caracalla r. upon eagle standing to r.; AYT K M ANTΩNEINOC / Isis bust r. wearing hemhem crown and holding flail and scepter, upon three lions' heads; ΔΗ ΕΕ ΥΠΙΑΤΟC Τ Δ (power of Tribune, Consul fourth time). Prieur 1655 (this coin). Bell. 375. JNG 36 (1986) p. 124,173 (this coin). Samuels 169 (this coin). Possibly unique. Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$10,000



- 20573** Ascalon, Judaea. Caracalla (198 - 217 AD). AR billon tetradrachm (25mm, 12.74 gm, 12h). Struck 215-217 AD. Laureate bust of Caracalla r.; AYT K M ANTONEINOC / Eagle standing on palm branch facing with spread wings, head turning l.; below, small dove holding olive spray in beak; ΔΗ ΕΕ ΥΠΙΑΤΟC ΤΟ Δ (power of Tribune, Consul fourth time). Prieur 1654. Bell. 376. Sofaer pl. 97,177. Very rare. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$7,500



- 20574** Ascalon, Judaea. Macrinus (217 - 218 AD). AE (33mm, 18.92 gm, 12h). K.....M. CE MAKPEINOC; Laureate, cuirassed and draped bust Macrinus to r. / ACKAA AKT (Ascalon, year 321 = 217/218 AD); Nude Herakles standing l. holding Victory in r. hand, club in l. Rosenberger 202. dS 205/1. Green-earthen patina. Rare. Fine.  
Estimate: \$150



- 20575 Bostra, Arabia. Antoninus Pius (138 - 161 AD).** AE (29 X 33mm, 25.88 gm, 12h). Bust of Antoninus Pius r., laureate; ANTONINOS AVG PIVS P P TR P COS III (*sic*) / Horned head of Zeus Ammon r.; LEG III CYR. This is a reference to the Third Roman Legion Cyrenaica originally deployed by Augustus to annex Egypt. Kindler p. 92-93. SNG ANS 1169. Samuels 170 (this coin). Very rare. Dark green patina, lightly cleaned. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$4,000



- 20576 Bostra, Arabia. Caracalla as Caesar. (198 - 217 AD).** AE (22 X 25mm, 12.17 gm, 1h). Struck 209/10 AD. Bust of Caracalla r., laureate; inscription: [AYT KECAP] ANTON K / Altar of Dusares with staircase; on top, pyramid of holy stones, composed of a large baetyl and over it pile of four flat stones; on r. and l., two more baetyls, each topped by a single flat slab, two priests stand on altar flanking baetyls; NE TP BOCTPA (*New Traiana Bostra*) ET PA (*year 104 = 209 AD*). Meshorer *City Coins* 239 (this coin); Kindler Bostra 30 (the reverse of this coin is on the cover of that book). Samuels 171 (this coin). Extremely rare. Light brown-green patina. Extremely Fine/Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$9,000



- 20577 Bostra, Arabia. Severus Alexander (222 - 235 AD).** AE (31mm, 16.43 gm, 6h). Draped bust of Severus Alexander r., seen from rear, laureate: IMP CAES M AVR SEV ALEXANDER AVG / The emperor as founder plowing r. with ox and cow; above, altar of Dusares with staircase leading up and three baetyls upon it; in exergue, COL BOSTR (*Colony of Bostra*) around: N TR ALEXANDRIANAE (*the new Trajan Alexandrine*). Spijk. 51. Ros. 39. Kindler 35. Sofaer pl. 130,42. Brown patina, earthen highlights. Fine plus.  
Estimate: \$750



- 20578 Bostra, Arabia. Severus Alexander (222 - 235 AD).** AE (22mm, 10.28 gm, 6h). Draped bust of Severus Alexander r., seen from rear, laureate: IMP CAES M AVR SEV ALEXANDER AVG / Draped bust of Tyche l., cornucopia behind shoulder; COLONIA BOSTRA (*Colony of Bostra*). Spijk. 50. Ros. 42. Kindler 36. Sofaer pl. 130,43. Dark green patina. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$350



- 20579 Caesarea Maritima, Samaria. Trajan (98 - 117 AD).** AE (34mm, 29.94 gm, 12h). Bust of Trajan r., laureate; IMP CAES NER TRAIANO. OP AVG GER DAC COS VI P.P / Tetrastyle temple with central arch standing behind enclosure with altar in front; within, Tyche standing l., holding bust and scepter, resting foot on helmet; at her feet in r. field, harbor-god holding anchor; C I F AVG / CAES (*the first Flavian Augustan colony, Caesarea*). Ros. 19. Kad. 22. Sofaer pl. 23,21. Samuels 172 (this coin). Brown patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 12-10-1988, 2107.*  
Estimate: \$700





- 20580** Caesarea Maritima, Samaria. Hadrian (117 - 138 AD). AE (14.5mm, 2.69 gm, 1h). Bust of Hadrian r., laureate; IM TR HADRIANO [CA A] / Lion walking r., above, snake; below, CIEAC (*the first Flavian Augustan colony, Caesarea*). Ros. 28. Kad. 30. Sofaer pl. 24, 33. Rough on obv. Dark patina. Very Fine. Estimate: \$250



- 20581** Caesarea Maritima, Samaria. Marcus Aurelius (161 - 180 AD). AE (25.5mm, 10.91 gm, 12h). Draped bust of Marcus Aurelius r., bareheaded; AVRELIO CAES ANTON AVG P F / Bust of Serapis r.; COL PRIMAI FL AVG CAESAREA (*the first Flavian Augustan colony, Caesarea*). Ros. 32 var. Kad. 38. Sofaer pl. 124,37. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$500



- 20582** Caesarea Maritima, Samaria. Marcus Aurelius (161 - 180 AD). AE (24mm, 12.34 gm, 12h). Draped and cuirassed bust of Marcus Aurelius r., laureate; IMP CAES M AVR ANTONINVS AVG PF / Bust of Serapis r., with decorated kalathos; COL PRIMAI FL AVG CAESAREA (*the first Flavian Augustan colony, Caesarea*). Ros. 33. Kad. 40. Sofaer pl.24,38. Dark green patina. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$750



- 20583** Caesarea Maritima, Samaria. Septimius Severus. (193 - 211 AD). AE (27mm, 17.37 gm, 12h). Draped and cuirassed bust of Septimius Severus r., laureate; inscription illegible on all known specimens / The emperor as founder plowing r. with ox and cow; above, Victory flying l. to crown him with wreath; COL PR FL / AVG F C (*the first Flavian Augustan colony, Caesarea*); in exergue, CAESAREA. Ros. 48. Kad 63. Sofaer pl. 25,49. About Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 5-3-1989, 6144.*  
Estimate: \$500



- 20584** Caesarea Maritima, Samaria. Caracalla (198 - 217 AD). AR 25mm, tetradrachm (14.41 gm, 6h). Struck 215-217 AD. Bust of Caracalla r., laureate; AY T KAI ANTWNONOC CE / SPQR within wreath supported by eagle with spread wings standing l. on torch with serpent wrapped around; ΔΗΜΑ[PX EE Y]ΠΑΤΟC Δ] (*power of Tribune, Consul fourth time*). Mesh. 94a (this coin). Prieur 1618 (this coin, one listed). Rare. Good Very Fine. Prieur 1657. Bell. 361. Sofaer -. Very rare. Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,500



- 20585** Caesarea Maritima, Samaria. Caracalla (198 - 217 AD). AR tetradrachm (25.5mm, 13.50 gm, 7h). Undraped bust of Caracalla r., laureate; AY T KAI ANTWNINOC CEB / Eagle standing facing on torch entwined by serpent, looking l. with wreath in beak; ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΕ ΥΠΑΤΟC ΤΟΔ (*power of Tribune, Consul fourth time*). Prieur 1661. Bell. 363. Sofaer pl. 25,55. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$850



- 20586** Caesarea Maritima, Samaria. Caracalla (198 - 217 AD). AR billon tetradrachm (27.5mm, 12.37 gm, 12h). Struck 215-217 AD. Small undraped bust of Caracalla r., laureate, on eagle r.; AYT KAI ANTΩNINOC CCEA / Eagle standing facing on torch entwined by serpent, looking l. with wreath in beak; between eagle's legs, bull's head r.; ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞ ΥΠΑΤΟC ΤΟ Δ (power of Tribune, Consul fourth time). Prieur 1661 var. Bell. 365 var. About Extremely Fine.

*The obverse legend is clear, and an unpublished version, it is not listed in any references for this city.*  
Estimate: \$1,000



- 20587** Caesarea Maritima, Samaria. Diadumenian. (218 AD). AE (25mm, 8.27 gm, 12h). Draped bust of Diadumenian r., bare-headed; M OP DIADV MENIANVS CAE / Bust of Serapis r.; COL. P F AVG F C CAESA (the first Flavian Augustan colony, Caesarea). Ros. 67. Kad. 78. Sofaer pl. 26, 65. Dark patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,000



- 20588** Caesarea Maritima, Samaria. Diadumenian. (218 AD). AE (34.5mm, 6.31 gm, 12h). Draped bust of Diadumenian r., bare-headed; M OP DIADV MENIANVS CAE / Bust of Serapis r.; COL P F AVG F C CAESA (the first Flavian Augustan colony, Caesarea). Ros. 67. Kad. 78. Sofaer pl. 26, 65. Brown patina, earthen highlights. Good Very Fine/Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,250



- 20589** Caesarea Maritima, Samaria. Trajan Decius (249 - 251 AD). AE (27mm, 19.71 gm, 12h). Draped bust of Trajan Decius r., laureate; IMP C C MS Q TRA DECIVS AVG / Victory standing on globe l., holding labarum in each hand; C[...] C FL AVG FC CAES MET... (the first Flavian Augustan colony, Caesarea, Metropolis in Syria Palestina); Ros.-. Kad. 153. Sofaer pl. 30,116. Green patina, earthen highlights. Good Fine.  
Estimate: \$350



- 20590** Caesarea Maritima, Samaria. Trajan Decius (249 - 251 AD). AE (28mm, 18.47 gm, 12h). Draped bust of Trajan Decius r., laureate; IMP C C MS Q TRA DECIVS AVG / Victory standing r., handing wreath to emperor at r.; COL PR F AVG FC CAES MET S P (the first Flavian Augustan colony, Caesarea, Metropolis, in Syria Palestina). Ros. 125. Kad. 18. Sofaer pl.30,120. Green patina, earthen highlights. About Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$350



- 20591** Caesarea Maritima, Samaria. Trajan Decius (249 - 251 AD). AE (26 X 28mm, 16.40 gm, 12h). Draped bust of Trajan Decius r., radiate; [IMP C C MS Q] TRAIVNVS DECIVS [AVG] / Eagle standing with spread wings facing looking r., holding diadem with bust of Tyche r. within; [COL P F AVG] F C CAES METR (the first Flavian Augustan colony, Caesarea, Metropolis, in Syria Palestina). Ros. 116. Kad. 129. Sofaer pl.30,126. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. About Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$350



- 20592 Caesarea Maritima, Samaria. Herennius Etruscus. (251 AD).** AE (25mm, 13.38 gm, 12h). Draped bust of Herennius Etruscus r., radiate; [MES] Q EREN ET AVG CO DECIO C[AES] / In center above, Tyche standing facing, veiled, holding scepter and small bust, her foot over prow of galley; at her feet, r., small figure of harbor-god holding anchor; below, two female figures sacrificing birds over altar flanked by two bulls; COL P F AV F CAES METROP (the first Flavian Augustan colony, Caesarea, metropolis). Ros. 144. Kad. 176. Sofaer pl. 32,150. Cleaned, dark green patina, earthen highlights. Fine.

*This specimen allows us to revise and correct a portion of the obverse legend.*  
Estimate: \$350



- 20593 Caesarea Maritima, Samaria. Herennia Etruscilla. (251 AD).** AE (28mm, 19.69 gm, 12h). Draped bust of Herennia Etruscilla r., EREN NIA ETRVSCILLA AVG Rev.: Cista mystica on podium, between four torches; COL P F AVG [F C] CAES MET SP (the first Flavian Augustan colony, Caesarea, Metropolis, Syria Palestina). Ros. 146. Kad. 171. Sofaer pl. 31,139 var. Green patina, earthen highlights. About Very Fine/Good about Fine.  
Estimate: \$500



- 20594 Caesarea Maritima, Samaria. Herennius Etruscus. (251 AD).** AE (27mm, 18.90 gm, 2h). Draped bust of Herennius Etruscus r., radiate; MES Q EREN ETRVSCO [DECIO CAES] / Altar; behind it, palm tree and olive tree; COL PR F AVG [F C] CAES MET S P] (the first Flavian Augustan colony, Caesarea, Metropolis, in Syria Palestina). Ros. 148. Kad. 183. Sofaer pl. 32,148. Green patina, earthen highlights. Good Fine.  
Estimate: \$500



- 20595 Canatha, Decapolis. Commodus (177 - 192 AD).** AE (29mm, 12.31 gm, 12h). Draped and cuirassed bust of Commodus r., laureate AYT K M AY ANTO KOM / Tyche standing front, wearing turreted crown, head l. holding small Nike on extended r. hand and cornucopia in l. hand, foot resting on half figure of river god; ΓΑΒΕΙΝΕ ΚΑΝΑΘΗΝ (Gabinian Canatha), in field date ΓΝC (year 253 = 190/191 AD). Spijk. 10. Ros. 4. Sofaer-. Samuels 175 (this coin). Dark patina, earthen highlights. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,250



- 20596 Capitolias, Decapolis. Macrinus (218 AD).** AE (26mm, 11.37gm, 12h). Draped and cuirassed bust of Macrinus r., laureate; AYT K MOII CE [MAKPEINON]OC CE / Tetrastyle temple with central arch; within, Tyche standing l., resting hand on scepter and holding small bust, resting foot on unclear object (river god?); inscription starting in exergue, ΚΑΠΙΤ[Ω IO IEP] ACY (Capitolias, holy, city of asylum); in sides of pediment, date: PK (year 122 = 217/18 AD). Spijk. 23. Ros. 15. Sofaer -. Rare. Dark brown patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,000



- 20597 Capitolias, Decapolis. Elagabalus (218 - 222 AD).** AE (26mm, 8.19gm, 2h). Draped and cuirassed bust of Elagabalus r., laureate; AY K M AY ANTONO / Tetrastyle temple with central arch; within, Tyche standing l., resting hand on scepter and holding small bust, resting foot on unclear object (river god?); inscription starting in exergue, ΚΑΠΙΤΩ IO IEP ACY (Capitolias, holy, city of asylum); in sides of pediment, date: PK (122 = 217/18 AD). Spijk. 25a. Ros-. Sofaer pl. 133,14. Samuels 172 (this coin). Rare. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$750





- 20598** Charachmoba, Arabia. Elagabalus (218 - 222 AD). AE (22mm, 10.57 gm, 7h). Draped bust of Elagabalus r.; AY K M AV ANTONIN / Tyche standing l., holding rudder and cornucopia; XAPAX MWBA (*Charachmoba*). Spijk. 3. Ros. 1. Sofaer pl. 134,1. Samuels 178 (this Coin). Tooled, dark patina. Fine. Estimate: \$350



- 20599** Cyprus. Caracalla (198 - 217 AD). AR billon tetradrachm (26mm, 12.62 gm, 12h). Head of Caracalla r., laureate; AYT K MA ANTWNINOC CE / Eagle standing facing, head r., holding wreath in beak; ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞ ΥΠΑΤΟΚΤΟΔ (*power of Tribune, Consul fourth time*). Prieur 1578. Bell. 383 (Akko Ptolemais). Rare. Superb. Estimate: \$500



- 20600** Diospolis-Lod. Julia Domna, wife Septimius Severus (193 - 211 AD). AE (25mm, 12.20 gm, 12h). Bust of Julia Domna r., draped; IOYAI ΔOMNAN CEBA / Bust of Demeter l., wearing kalathos with veil, holding torch; Λ CEΠ CEOV Δ (*Lucia Septimia Severa Diospolis*). Mesh. *City Coins* 156. Ros. 3. Sofaer pl. 99,2. Rare Samuels 180 (this coin). Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$3,000



- 20601** Diospolis-Lod, Judaea. Caracalla (198 - 217 AD). AE (26.5mm, 14.09 gm, 12h). AE (14.09 gm, 12h). Draped and cuirassed bust of Caracalla r., laureate; AYT KMAP ANTWN...CEB AVT [...] / Distyle temple shown in perspective; within, Tyche standing l., resting foot on small reclining figure, holding scepter and extending hand; behind her, small standing figure; Λ CEΠ CEOV ΔΙΟCΠΟ... (*Lucia Septimia Severa Diospolis*); in exergue, date: ET Θ (*year 9 = 207/8 AD*). Mesh. *City Coins* 157 (these dies). Sofaer pl. 99,6. Samuels 179 (this coin). Very rare. Attractive natural green-brown patina. About Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$6,000



- 20602** Diospolis-Lod, Judaea. Caracalla (198 - 217 AD). AE (26mm, 12.20 gm, 12h). Draped bust of Caracalla r., laureate; AVT KAI MAP AVP ANTΩNIN / Bust of Tyche l.; Λ CEΠ CEOV ΔΙΟCΠΟAIC (*Lucia Septimia Severa Diospolis*); to l. and r., date: E I (*year 10 = 208/9 AD*). Ros. 10. Sofaer pl. 99,10. Rare. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,500



- 20603** Diospolis-Lod, Judaea. Elagabalus (218 - 222 AD). AE (25mm, 9.92 gm, 12h). Draped and cuirassed bust of Elagabalus r., seen from rear, radiate; AVT K MAV ANTON... / Tetrastyle domed building; within, Tyche standing l., resting her foot on unidentified object; holding scepter and small bust (?); to l., ΔΙΟCΠ; to r., OC CE (*Lucia Septimia Severa Diospolis*); in exergue, ET ΙΘ (*year 19 = 218/19 AD*). Sofaer pl. 100,15 (date stated as E ΙΘ). Very Rare. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. About Very Fine. Estimate: \$2,000



- 20604 Dium, Decapolis. Caracalla (193 - 211 AD). AE (27mm, 14.33 g, 12h).** Draped and cuirassed bust of young Caracalla r., seen from rear, laureate; AV K M AV ANTWN CEB / Hexastyle temple with central arch and pediment decorated with eagle; within, altar; below, ΔΕΙΗΝ; on r. WN; above, ΚΟΙ CVP (*of the people of Dium in Coele-Syria*); on l., date: ΗΕC (*year 268 = 205/6 AD*). Mesh. *City Coins* 245 (these dies). Ros. 1. Sofaer pl. 134,1. Samuels 181 (this coin). Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,000



- 20605 Dium, Decapolis. Geta as Caesar (198 - 208 AD). AE (24mm, 11.75 gm, 12h).** Draped and cuirassed bust of Geta r., seen from rear, laureate; Π ΟΥ Π C ΓΕΤΑC K / Male deity wearing kalathos with horns (Zeus Heliopolites or Hadad?) standing between two crouching bulls, holding scepter topped by bird and small Victory offering him a wreath; below, ΔΕΙΗΝ; on r. WN (*of the people of Dium*); on l., date: ΗΕC (*268 = 205/6 AD*). Spijk. 6. Ros. 5. Sofaer pl. 134,6. Dark patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$500



- 20606 Dora, Phoenicia. Autonomous. AE (19mm, 6.49 gm, 12h).** Bust of Tyche r. / Prow of galley l.; above, the two pilei of the Dioscuri and date: Λ Α (*year 1 = 63/2 BC*); below, ΔΩ (*Dora*). Mesh. *Dora* 4. Sofaer pl. 38,4. Dark green patina. Very Fine. Estimate: \$250



- 20607 Dora, Phoenicia. Mark Antony and Cleopatra VII. AE (21mm, 7.10 gm, 10h).** Jugate busts of Mark Antony and Cleopatra VII to r. / Tyche stands l. holding palm branch in r. hand and caduceus in l. monogram of ΔΩ (*Dora*) in r. field, date: Λ Θ Ι (*year 19 = 34/33 BC*). Mesh. *Dora* 13. Ros. 13. Samuels 182 (this coin). Dark patina. Very Fine. Estimate: \$4,500



- 20608 Dora, Phoenicia. Nero (54 - 68 AD). AE (24mm, 12.09 gm, 12h).** Bust of Doros r. / Tyche standing facing looking r., holding standard and cornucopia; on r., ΔWPITWN (*of the people of Dora*); on l., date: ΑΑΡ (*131 = 68/9 AD*). Mesh. *Dora* 23. Ros. 18. Sofaer pl. 39,18. RPC I 4759. Samuels 183 (this coin). Brown patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$500



- 20609 Dora, Phoenicia. Nero (54 - 68 AD). AE (20mm, 6.45 gm, 12h).** Bust of Tyche l. / Tyche standing facing looking r., holding standard and cornucopia; on r., ΔWPITW (*of the people of Dora*); on l., date: ΒΑΡ (*132 = 69/70 AD*). Mesh. *Dora* 26. Ros. 12. Sofaer pl. 39,20. RPC I 4764. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. About Very Fine. Estimate: \$250



- 20610 Dora, Phoenicia. Caracalla (198 - 217 AD). AE (28mm, 18.25 gm, 12h).** Bust of Caracalla r., laureate; Μ ΑΥΡ ΑΝΤΩΝΕΙΝΟC CEB / Tyche, holding standard and cornucopia, standing facing within tetrastyle temple; in exergue, ΔΩΡΑ (*Dora*); on l. on r., ΙΕΡΑ (*holy*); on l., date: ΔΟC (*274 = 211/2 AD*). Mesh. *Dora* 49. Sofaer pl. 40,43. Samuels 184 (this coin). Green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,000





- 20611 Eleutheropolis, Judaea. Macrinus (218 AD). AE (23mm, 11.27 gm, 1h).** Draped bust of Macrinus r., laureate; [AY KAIC] MAKPINOC CEB / Within tetrastyle temple with central arch, Tyche standing l. on river god, holding cornucopia and small bust; [Λ CEIΠ] CEO EΛEYΘ (Lucia Septimia Severa Eleutheropolis); on l. and r. of Tyche, date: E ΘΙ (year 19 = 217/8 AD). Ros. 20. Sofaer pl. 102,25. Scratched in obverse fields from cleaning. Very Fine.

*Ex. Superior Galleries 12-9/10-1989 (Jascha Heifitz Collection II), 2945.*  
Estimate: \$700



- 20612 Eleutheropolis, Judaea. Macrinus (218 AD). AE (31mm, 18.48 gm, 6h).** Draped bust of Macrinus r., laureate; AY KAIC MAK[PINOC CEB] / Macrinus on r. and Diadumenian standing facing one another, shaking hands; M OΠ AN ΔΙΑΔΟΥ OΠ CE MAKPIN EΛEYΘ (Macrinus and Diadumenian, of the people of Eleutheropolis); across field, date? Ros. 23. Sofaer pl. 102,24. Samuels 185 (this coin). Very Rare. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. About Very Fine.

Estimate: \$1,000



- 20613 Eleutheropolis, Judaea. Elagabalus (218 - 222 AD). AE (28mm, 16.34 gm, 10h).** Draped bust Elagabalus r., radiate; [AYT K MA AV] ANTWNEINOC / Athena seated left holding small Nike and spear [Λ CE]Π CEOYH EΛEYΘ [E] ΘΙ (Lucia Septimia Severa Eleutheropolis, year 19 = 218 AD). Mesh. *City Coins* 179. Samuels 186 (this coin). Dark green patina, earthen highlights. About Very Fine.

Estimate: \$2,000



- 20614 Esbous, Arabia Petrea. Elagabalus (218 - 222 AD). AE (23.5mm, 8.29 gm, 8h).** Draped and cuirassed bust of Elagabalus r., seen from rear, laureate; AVT C M AVP ANTONINVC / Tyche standing l. in tetrastyle temple with central arch, holding scepter and small bust, resting foot on a figure (?); above, A [V]; in exergue, ECBOVC (Esbous). Mesh. *City Coins* 267. Ros. 3. Spijk. 3. Sofaer pl. 135, 4. Samuels 187 (this coin). Brown patina, earthen highlights. Extremely Fine/Very Fine.

Estimate: \$750



- 20615 Esbous, Arabia Petrea. Elagabalus (218 - 222 AD). AE (20mm, 5.27 gm, 6h).** Bust of Elagabalus r. radiate; AVT C M AVP ANTONI / Dionysus standing l., nude, supporting thyrsos and pouring wine from jug in over panther at his feet; ECBOVC (Esbous). Spijk. 6. Ros. 4. Sofaer pl. 135,9. Dark patina. Very Fine.

Estimate: \$750



- 20616 Gaba, Galilee. Titus (79 - 81 AD). AE (24mm, 9.50 gm, 11h).** Bust of Titus r.; laureate: AY TOKPA TITOC KAIC / Nude male figure (Zeus?) standing l., resting on scepter and his hand on hip; on l., KAAΥΔΙ ΦΙΑ[III] on r., ΓABHNW (of the people of Gaba (named for) Claudius and Philip); in l. field, date: ΠAZ (137 = 78/9 AD). Kindler Gaba 9. RPC II 2236. Sofaer pl. 41,9. Samuels 188 (this coin). Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Extremely Fine.

Estimate: \$350



- 20617 Gaba, Galilee. Trajan (98 - 117 AD). AE (14mm, 2.99 gm, 11h).** Mên standing facing looking l., resting on scepter and his hand on hip; KAAΥ ΦΙΑΠ ΓABH (of the people of Claudia Philippi Gaba) / Victory advancing l., holding wreath and palm branch over shoulder; in r. field, date: PMB (142 = 83/4 AD). Ros. 6. Kindler 13. Sofaer pl. 41,3. Dark patina. Very Fine.

*Ex. Superior Galleries 12-9/10-1989 (Jascha Heifitz Collection II), 2946.*

Estimate: \$250





- 20618 Gaba, Galilee. Plotina, wife of Trajan (98 - 117 AD). (18mm, 5.04 gm, 12h).** Bust of Plotina r.; ΠΛΟΤΕΙΝΑ CEBACTH / Nude male figure (Zeus?) standing l., resting on scepter and his hand on hip; ΚΑ ΦΙ ΓΑΒΗΝΟΝ (*of the people of Claudia Philippi Gaba*); in r. field, date: AOP (171 = 112/3 AD). Ros. 8. Kindler Gaba 21. Sofaer 42,19. Dark patina. Very Fine. Estimate: \$750



- 20619 Gaba, Galilee. Hadrian (117 - 138 AD). AE (32mm, 25.82 gm, 12h).** Draped and cuirassed bust of Hadrian r., laureate; ΑΥΤ ΚΑΙC ΤΡΑΙ ΑΔΡΙΑΝΟ CCE Π Π / Tetrastyle temple with central arch and dome; inside, Tyche standing l., holding scepter and cornucopia, small Victory standing on column to r.; in exergue, ΓΑΒΗΝΟΝ (*of the people of Gaba*), ΘΠΡ (189 = 131/2 AD). Meshorer *City Coins* 100. Ros. 12 (for type). Sofaer 42,22 (for type). Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$450



- 20620 Gadara, Decapolis. Nero (54 - 78 AD). AE (18mm, 6.13 gm, 12h).** Head of Nero r., laureate; ΝΕΡΩΝ / Crossed cornucopias; ΓΑΔΑΡΕΩΝ (*of the people of Gadara*); above, date: ΛΑΡ (year 131 = 67/8 AD). Spijk. 25. Ros. 29. Sofaer pl. 137,23. RPC I 4824. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. About Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$750



- 20621 Gadara, Decapolis. Vespasian (69 - 79 AD). AE (24mm, 9.52 gm, 12h).** Bust of Vespasian r., laureate; ΟΥΕCΠΙAC[ΙΑΝΟ]C ΚΑΙCΑΡ, round countermark on neck of male head r. / Tyche standing l., holding wreath and cornucopia; on r., ΓΑΔΑΡΑ (*Gadara*); on l., date: Λ ΕΑΡ (year 135 = 71/2 AD). GIC 6 (for countermark). Ros. 32. Spijk. 26. Sofaer pl. 137,24. Brown patina, earthen highlights. About Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$500



- 20622 Gadara, Decapolis. Titus as Caesar (69 - 79 AD). AE (16mm, 4.32 gm, 12h).** Head of Titus r., laureate; [ΤΙΤΟC ΚΑΙ]ΣΑΡ / Bust of Tyche r., veiled; on l., ΓΑΔΑΡΑ (*Gadara*); on r., date: ΛΖΑΡ (year 137 = 73/4 AD). Ros. 36. Spijk. 29. Sofaer pl. 137,29. RPC II 2097. Cleaned, dark green patina. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$350



- 20623 Gadara, Decapolis. Antoninus Pius (138 - 161 AD). AE (22mm, 6.94 gm, 12h).** Bust of Antoninus Pius r., laureate; ΑΝΤΩΝΕΙ ΚΑΙCΑΡ / Bare, undraped male head r., ΓΑΔΑΡΕΩΝ ΓΚC (*of the people of Gadara, year 223 = 159/60 AD*). Ros. 40. Spijk. 33. Sofaer pl. 137,34. Cleaned, earthen highlights. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$350



- 20624 Gadara, Decapolis. Antoninus Pius (138 - 161 AD). AE (17mm, 4.51 gm, 1h).** Bust of Antoninus Pius r., laureate; ΑΝΤΩΝΕΙ ΚΑΙCΑΡ / Bust of Athena r., wearing crested helmet; ΓΑΔΑΡΕΩΝ ΓΚC (*of the people of Gadara, year 223 = 159/60 AD*). Ros. 41. Spijk. 34. Sofaer pl. 137,35. Dark patina, earthen highlights. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$350



- 20625 Gadara, Decapolis. Marcus Aurelius (161 - 180 AD). AE (28mm, 13.02 gm, 12h).** Draped and cuirassed bust of Marcus Aurelius r., seen from rear, laureate; ΑΥΤ ΚΑΙC Μ ΑΥΡ ΑΝΤΩΝΕΙΝΟC / Bust of Heracles r.; ΓΑΔΑΡΕΩΝ ΔΚC (*of the people of Gadara, year 224 = 160/1 AD*). Spijk. 38. Ros. 43. Sofaer pl. 138, 37. Dark green patina. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$2,000

Extraordinary Gadara Tetradrachm



**20626** Gadara, Decapolis. Caracalla (198-217 AD). AR tetradrachm (26mm, 13.05 gm, 6h). Struck 215-217 AD. Bust of Caracalla, laureate, on back of an eagle; AYT KAI ANTWNINOC CE / Bust of Heracles r., lion skin knotted around neck, club in field before; below, the three Graces in wreath; ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΕ ΥΠΙΑΤ ΟΔ (power of Tribune, Consul fourth time). JNG (Van Hoof Hoard) 36, 167. Prieur 1585. Very Rare, likely the finest surviving specimen. Good extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$4,000



**20627** Gadara, Decapolis. Septimius Severus (193 - 211 AD). AE medallion (32 X 34mm, 29.18 gm, 12h). Draped and cuirassed bust of Septimius Severus r., seen from rear, laureate; AYT. K [A CEIT CEB] / Galley sailing l., with nine rowers, navigator at stern and a lookout on prow; above, ΠΟΜΠ / ΗΙΕΩΝ ΓΑ / ΔΑΡΕΩΝ / ΕΤ ΒΕC (of the people of Pompeian Gabinius, year 262 = 198/9 AD). Spijk. 69. Ros. 69. Sofaer pl. 140,70. Very Rare. Dark green-earthen patina, with light tooling on reverse. About Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$3,500



**20628** Gadara, Decapolis. Gordian III (238 - 244 AD). AE (20mm, 5.84 gm, 12h). Draped bust of Gordian III r., radiate; AYT K M AV ANT ΓΟΡΔΙΑΝΟC / The three Graces; ΠΟΜΠ above; in exergue, ΓΑΔΑ (Gadara); around, ΔΤ (304 - 240/1 AD). Ros. 92. Spijk. 92. Sofaer pl. 142,101. Scratched in rev. field, dark green patina, earthen highlights. Fine plus.  
Estimate: \$300



**20629** Gadara, Decapolis. Gordian III (238 - 244 AD). AE (27mm, 10.97 gm, 11h). AYTOK K M AV ANTΩ[ΓΟΡΔΙΑΝΟV CEB]; draped, radiate bust Gordian III to r. / ΠΟΜΠ ΓΑΔΑΡΕ WN, in exergue ΓΤ ([of the people of] Pompeian Gadara, year 303 = 239/240 AD). Sofaer pl.142,104. Spijkerman 154, 95. Gray-green patina. Remarkably detailed ship. Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$750



**20630** Gaza, Judaea. Antoninus Pius (138 - 161 AD). AE (32mm, 21.78 gm, 12h). Draped bust of Antoninus Pius r., laureate; AYT KAI ΑΔΡ ΑΝΤΩΝΕΙΝΟ / Bust of Tyche r., with turreted crown, veiled; in r. field, ( ; on r., ΓΑΖΑ (Gaza); on l., date: : ΓC (203 = 142/3 AD). BMC Palestine 56. Sofaer pl. 108,83. Samuels 193 (this coin). Brown patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine / Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,000



**20631** Gaza, Judaea. Antoninus Pius (138 - 161 AD). AE (31mm, 21.98 gm, 1h). Draped bust of Antoninus Pius r., laureate; AYT KAI ΑΔΡΙΑΝΟ ΑΝΤΩΝΕΙΝΟ / Bust of Tyche r., with turreted crown, veiled; in r. field, ( ; on r., ΓΑΖΑ (Gaza); on l., date: : ΘC (209 = 148/9 AD). Ros. 72. Sofaer pl. 108, 88. Green patina, earthen highlights. Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,500



- 20632** Gaza, Judaea. Marcus Aurelius (198 - 217 AD). AE (21mm, 5.98 gm, 12h). Bust of Marcus Aurelius r., laureate; KAIC ANTWNINOC / Tyche wearing kalathos standing facing looking l., resting her hand on scepter and holding cornucopia; beside her, heifer standing l.; in upper r. field, ( ; on l., ΓΑΖΑ (Gaza); on r., date: ΔΚΚ (224 = 163/4 AD). Ros. 95 var. Sofaer pl. 110, 118. Green patina, earthen highlights. Good very Fine. Estimate: \$350



- 20633** Gaza, Judaea. Lucius Verus (161 - 169 AD). AE (17mm, 5.14 gm, 1h). Head of Lucius Verus r., laureate; KAICAP OYHPOC / Head of Heracles r.; in lower r. field, club; in upper r. field, ( ; on l., ΓΑΖΑ (Gaza); on r., date: ΔΚΚ (224 = 163/4 AD). Ros. (Supp.) 9. BMC Palestine 104. Sofaer pl. 112, 142. Green patina. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$500



- 20634** Gaza, Judaea. Commodus (177 - 192 AD). AE (26mm, 15.04 gm, 12h). Draped and bearded bust of Commodus r.; ΑΥΤΟ ΚΑ Μ ΑΥΡΗ ΚΟΜΜΟΔΟ / Distyle facade of the temple of Marnas; inside, Marnas on r. standing l., holding bow and branch, looking at Artemis standing r., holding bow and drawing arrow from quiver at her shoulder; on l., ΓΑΖΑ (Gaza); on r., date: ΕΜΚ (245 = 184/5 AD). Rosenberger 125 var. Sofaer pl. 113, 153 var. Dark green patina. Very Fine.

*The coins of Gaza are rich with this type, however this is the only instance we are able to document where Marnas and Artemis are sacrificing over an altar between them, and the Gaza mintmark is not used.*

Estimate: \$750

## Unique Gaza Tetradrachm



- 20635** Gaza, Judaea. Caracalla (198 - 217 AD). AR billon tetradrachm (26mm, 14.47gm, 11h). Struck 215-217 AD. Bust of Caracalla r., laureate; ΑΥΤ ΚΜ ΑΝΤΩΝΟΝΟΚ / Eagle with spread wings, head l., wreath in beak, between legs, Η ; ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΕ ΥΠΙΑΤΟΑ (power of Tribune, Consul fourth time). Prieur 1687 (this coin, listed as unique). Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$8,500



## Unpublished Type for Gaza



- 20636** Gaza, Judaea. Caracalla (198 - 217 AD). AR billon tetradrachm (25 X 27mm, 12.93 gm, 7h). Struck 215-217 AD. Bust of Caracalla r., laureate; AYT KAI ANTWNONOC CE / Head of young Caracalla (?) r. upon back of eagle with spread wings standing l. on thunderbolt, wings spread, head r., in field to r.,  $\frac{1}{4}$ ; ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞ ΥΠΙΑΤΟC (*power of Tribune, Consul*). Samuels 194 (this coin). Otherwise unpublished and apparently unique. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$12,000



- 20637** Gerasa, Decapolis. Hadrian (117 - 138 AD). AE (23mm, 10.77 gm, 8h). Draped and cuirassed bust of Hadrian r. laureate; ΔΙ ΑΥΤ.Κ.ΤΡΑ ΑΔΡΙΑΝΟC CE / Bust of Artemis-Tyche r., resting on crescent, quiver behind shoulder and bow in front; ΑΡΤΕΜΙC ΤΥΧΗ [ΓΕΡΑCΩΝ] (*Artemis-Tyche of the people of Gerasa*). Mesh. *City Coins* 252. Ros. 5. Spijk. 5. Sofaer pl. 142,5. Samuels 195 (this coin). Dark patina. Good Very Fine/Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 6-11-1986 (Grover), 1453.*  
Estimate: \$750



- 20638** Hippos, Decapolis. Roman Period, Autonomous. AE (19mm, 5.23 gm, 12h). Head of Tyche r. / Horse galloping r.; above, ΙΙΙΙΗΝΩΝ (*of the people of Hippos*); below, date: ΛCΚ (*year 26 = 37 BC*). Mesh. *City Coins* 197. Lichtenberger 2003 MZ1. Sofaer pl. 145,1. Rare. Dark green patina. Fine to Very Fine. Estimate: \$500



- 20639** Hippos, Decapolis. Roman Period, Autonomous. AE (14mm, 3.37 gm, 12h). Head of Tyche r. / Palm branch; ΙΙΙΙ[...] (*Hippos*). AJC II, 51 (attributed in error to Agrippa II). MZ 2. Lichtenberger 2003 MZ 2. Dark green patina. Very Fine. Estimate: \$500



- 20640** Hippos, Decapolis. Nero (54 - 68 AD). AE (24mm, 13.61 gm, 1h). Bust of Nero r., laureate; ΝΕΡΩΝ ΚΑΛΥΔΙΟC ΚΑΙCΑΡ; round countermark depicting radiate head r. on neck / Tyche standing l., holding horse by bridle and cornucopia; ΑΝΤΙΟΧΕΩΝ ΤΩΝ ΠΙΟC ΙΠΠ (*of the Antiocheans at Hippos, holy, city of asylum*); in l. field, date: [ΑΑ]Ρ (131 = 67/8 AD). Spijk. 1a. RPC I 4807. Sofaer pl. 145,3. GIC 121 (for countermark). Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$500



- 20641** Hippos, Decapolis. Domitian (81 - 96 AD). AE (18mm, 14.63 gm, 12h). Bust of Domitian r., laureate; ΔΟΜΙΤΙ ΚΑΙ[CAP] / Horse standing l.; ΙΙΙΙΗΝΩΝ (*of the people of Hippos*); in l. field, A beneath line. Spijk. 5. RPC II 2105. Sofaer pl. 145,10. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Fine to Very Fine. Estimate: \$350



- 20642** Hippos, Decapolis. Marcus Aurelius (161 - 180 AD). AE (25mm, 10.19 gm, 1h). Draped and cuirassed bust of Marcus Aurelius r., seen from rear, laureate; ΑΥΤ ΚΑΙ... ΑΥΡ ... / Tyche standing l., holding horse by bridle and cornucopia; ΑΝΤΙΟΧ ΠΡ ΙΠ ΙΕΡ [ΑCΥΛΟC] (*of the Antiocheans at Hippos, holy, city of asylum*); in exergue, date: ΘΚC (229 = 165/6 AD). Ros. 10. Spijk. 8. Sofaer pl. 145,12. Dark green patina. Good Fine. Estimate: \$300



- 20643 Joppa, Judaea. Severus Alexander (222 - 235 AD). AE (18mm, 6.62 gm, 1h).** Draped bust of Severus Alexander r., laureate/ AYT KA[...]/ Athena standing r., resting her l. on long spear and her r. on shield; ΦΛ ΙΟΠΠΗC (*Flavia Joppa*). Ros. 9. BMC Palestine 1 (as Elagabalus). Sofaer pl. 44, 20. Rough surfaces, dark green patina, earthen highlights. About Fine.

*Coins of Joppa are rare and usually missing much of the legends. The published specimens for this reverse type are generally identified as Elagabalus or Severus Alexander.*  
Estimate: \$500



- 20644 Marisa, Judaea. Hellenistic Period, autonomous. AE (20.5mm, 3.53 gm, 1h).** Male head (Gabinius?) r., with helmet and curly hair / Palm branch with entwined serpent; in l. field, date: ΛΓ (year 3 = 58/7 AD) and ΓΑ; in r. field, M/A (*Gabinian Marisa*). Sofaer pl. 118,2 (these dies). Qedar Marisa C-1 (these dies). Very rare. Some filing, possibly overstruck. Dark green patina. Very Fine to Very Fine plus.  
Estimate: \$1,500



- 20645 Medaba, Province of Arabia. Septimius Severus (135 - 211 AD). AE (27 X 30mm, 15.66 gm, 6h).** AVT KAIC CEOVHPOC; laureate, draped and cuirassed bust of Septimius Severus r. / [ATIOC H]AI OC; MHΔA (*holy Helios, Medaba*) in exergue; Helios stands facing on quadriga, looks l., holding reins in raised r. arm and small torch in l. Sofaer pl 147,1. Spijk. 182,2. Ros. 57,3. Samuels 198 (this coin). Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$300



- 20646 Medaba, Provincia Arabia. Geta (209 - 212 AD). AE (23.5mm, 7.32 gm, 12h).** Draped and cuirassed bust of Geta r., laureate; ...CEΠ ... TETAC / Tetrastyle temple with pellet in pediment and two steps in front; within, baetyl composed of two flat stones with pillar over them, topped by two more flat ones; ΔΟ[V]CAPHC; in exergue, MHΔAB (*Dusares, Medaba*). Spijk. 8. Mesh. *City Coins* 270. Ros. 7. Sofaer pl. 147,7. Samuels 199 (this coin). Dark green patina. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$750



- 20647 Neapolis, Samaria. Domitian (81 - 96 AD). AE (26mm, 19.25 gm, 6h).** Head of Domitian r., laureate; AYTOK ΔOMITIANOΣ KAICAP CEBACΣTOΣ / Inscription in wreath: ΦΛΑΟΥΓΙ / NEΑΠΟΛΙ / ΣΑΜΑΠΕ / L AI (*Flavian Neapolis in Samaria, year 11 = 82/3 AD*). Ros. 1. BMC Palestine 1. RPC II 2218. Sofaer pl. 45,2. Lightly tooled, dark brown patina. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$350



- 20648 Neapolis, Samaria. Antoninus Pius (138 - 141 AD). AE medal-lion (32.5mm, 20.78 gm, 11h).** Draped bust of Antoninus Pius r., laureate; AY[TOK KAICAP ANT]WNINOC CEBAC EYCE / Athena seated on cuirass and shield l. holding cornucopia and small Victory; ΦΛ NEAC[ΠIOΛEWC CYPIAC ΠAΛECTINHOC] (*Flavian Neapolis in Syria-Palestina*); across field, date: [ET] Π[H] (year 88 = 159/60 AD). Mesh. *City Coins* 121. Sofaer pl. 47,28. Very rare. Tooled, dark patina, earthen highlights. About Fine.  
Estimate: \$750



Temple on Mount Gerizim



- 20649** Neapolis, Samaria. Antoninus Pius (138 - 141 AD). AE medalion (34mm, 24.57 gm, 12h). Draped bust of Antoninus Pius r., laureate; ΑΥΤΟ Κ ΚΑΙCΑΡ ΑΝΤΩΝΙΝΟC CEBAC EYCE / View of Mount Gerizim; below in front, a colonnade with two arched entrances; the l. one leads to a stairway on l., flanked by a series of shrines or altars on the slope; the stairway leads to a temple seen in three quarter view; another roadway flanked by trees leads from the colonnade to an altar on top of the hill to the r.; ΦΛ ΝΕΑC ΠΟΛ[ΕWC CYPIAC ΠΑΛΑΙCΤΙΝΗC] (*Flavian Neapolis in Syria-Palestina*); in exergue, date: ΕΤ ΠΘ (year 89 = 160/1 AD). Ros 10 var. Sofaer pl. 47,30. Mesh. *City Coins* 126. Samuels 200 (this coin). Rare. Dark green-earthen patina, heavily cleaned in fields. About Very Fine. Estimate: \$4,500



- 20650** Neapolis, Samaria. Antoninus Pius (138 - 141 AD). AE medalion (34mm, 25.70 gm, 12h). Draped bust of Antoninus Pius r., laureate; ΑΥΤΟ Κ ΚΑΙCΑΡ [ΑΝΤΩΝΙΝΟC] CEBAC EYCE / View of Mount Gerizim; below in front, a colonnade with two arched entrances; the l. one leads to a stairway on l., flanked by a series of shrines or altars on the slope; the stairway leads to a temple seen in three quarter view; another roadway flanked by trees leads from the colonnade to an altar on top of the hill to the r.; ΦΛ ΝΕΑC ΠΟΛ[ΕWC CYPIAC ΠΑΛΑΙCΤΙΝΗC] (*Flavian Neapolis in Syria-Palestina*); in exergue, date: ΕΤ ΠΘ (year 89 = 160/1 AD). Ros 10 var. Sofaer pl. 47,30. Rare. Dark green patina, earthen highlights, heavily cleaned. Fine. Estimate: \$1,500



- 20651** Neapolis, Samaria. Marcus Aurelius as Caesar (139 - 161 AD). AE (25.5mm, 10.61 gm, 12h). Bust of Marcus Aurelius r., bare-headed; ΑΥΦΑΙΟC ΚΑΙCΑΡ ΕΥCΕΒ CEB / Zeus Heliopolites standing facing, flanked by foreparts of two bulls, holding in raised r. a whip and in extended l. two ears of grain; ΦΛ ΝΕΑC ΠΟΛΕWC CYPIAC ΠΑ... (*Flavian Neapolis in Syria-Palestina*); in field, date: ΕΤ ΠΗ (year 88 = 159/60 AD). Ros. 15. BMC Palestine 30. Sofaer 47,34. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$350



- 20652** Neapolis, Samaria. Caracalla (198 - 217 AD). AR tetradrachm (28mm, 12.64 gm, 6h). Struck 215-217 AD. Draped and cuirassed bust of Caracalla r., laureate; ΑΥΤ ΚΑΙ ΑΝΤΩΝΙΝΟC CE / Eagle with spread wings standing facing, looking l., holding wreath in beak; between legs, small flaming altar; ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞ ΥΠΑΤΟC ΤΟ Δ (power of Tribune, Consul fourth time). Prieur 1707. Bell. 343. Sofaer pl. 59, 81. Deeply struck on a broad flan. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$1,200





- 20653 Neapolis, Samaria. Macrinus (218 AD). AE (29mm, 20.63 gm, 6h).** Draped and cuirassed bust of Macrinus r., laureate; AY K M OPI CE MAKPINOC CE / View of Mount Gerizim; below in front, a colonnade with two arched entrances; the l. one leads to a stairway on l., flanked by a series of shrines or altars on the slope; the stairway leads to a temple seen in three quarter view; another roadway flanked by trees leads from the colonnade to an altar on top of the hill to the r.; [ΦΛ] NEACPI OΛEOC CYP ΠAA (*Flavian Neapolis in Syria Palestina*). Ros. 32. Sofaer pl. 50,83. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$750



- 20654 Neapolis, Samaria. Elagabalus (218 - 222 AD). AE (22mm, 12.06 gm, 6h).** Draped and cuirassed bust of Elagabalus r., laureate; AYT K M AYPANTΩNINOC / View of Mount Gerizim; below in front, a colonnade with two arched entrances; the l. one leads to a stairway on l., flanked by a series of shrines or altars on the slope; the stairway leads to a temple seen in three quarter view; another roadway flanked by trees leads from the colonnade to an altar on top of the hill to the r.; ΦΛ NEA[C ΠO CYP ΠAA] (*Flavian Neapolis in Syria-Palestina*), in exergue, Π. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$350



- 20655 Neapolis, Samaria. Philip I (244 - 249 AD). AE (28mm, 13.98 gm, 6h).** Draped and cuirassed bust of Philip I r., laureate; IMP M IVL PHILIPPVS P F AVG / The emperor as founder, plowing with ox and cow to r. and above Mount Gerizim; COL SERG NEAPOL (*Colonia Sergia Neapolis*). Sofaer pl. 53,132 var. (radiate bust). Very Fine. Estimate: \$500



- 20656 Neapolis, Samaria. Philip I (245 - 249 AD). AE (27mm, 18.74 gm, 6h).** Draped bust of Philip I r., radiate; IMP M IVL PHILIPPVS AVG / On r., Marsyas of the Forum standing l., holding wine skin over shoulder and raising arm at eagle standing on r. with spread wings, head r., supporting Mount Gerizim; COL SERG; in exergue, NEAPOL (*Colonia Sergia Neapolis*). Ros. 83 var. BMC 120. Sofaer pl. 54, 144 var. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Fine plus. Estimate: \$500



- 20657 Neapolis, Samaria. Philip I (245 - 249 AD). AE (30mm, 11.04 gm, 6h).** Draped bust of Philip I r., radiate; IMP M IVL PHILIPP[VS AVG] / Eagle with spread wings carrying the bust of Zeus-Serapis r.: COL IVL NEAPOL (*Colonia Julia Neapolis*). Ros. 78 var. Sofaer pl. 54,145. Rare. Dark green patina. About Very Fine. Estimate: \$500



- 20658 Neapolis, Samaria. Philip I (245 - 249 AD). AE (28mm, 12.15 gm, 12h).** Draped bust of Philip I r., laureate; IMP C M IVL PHILIPPO P F AVG / Helmeted figure seated facing, r. foot placed on globe (?), holding scepter; on r., figure standing l., raising hand and holding scepter; on l., male figure standing facing raising his hand at another male figure turning at him; above, small Mount Gerizim; NEAPOLI NEOCORO (*the new cult of Neapolis*); in exergue, COL and small star. Ros. 82. Harl 26. Sofaer pl. 55,158. Samuels 202 (this Coin). Very Rare. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$6,000



- 20659 Neapolis, Samaria. Philip I (245 - 249 AD).** AE (28.5mm, 16.53 gm, 12h). Draped bust of Philip r., laureate; [IMP C M IVL] PHILIPPO PF AVG / Eagle with spread wings standing facing, looking l., carrying wreath encircling Mount Gerizim; COL / SERG / NEAPOL (*Colonia Sergia Neapolis*). Ros. 81. Sofaer pl. 59,213 (Philip II). Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Fine to Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$350



- 20662 Neapolis, Samaria. Otacilia Severa, wife of Philip I (244 - 249 AD).** AE (30mm, 15.40 gm, 6h). Draped bust of Otacilia Severa r., on crescent; M OT SEVERAE AVG M C / She-wolf standing l., head turned at Romulus and Remus suckling; above, Mount Gerizim COL IVL SERG; in exergue, NEAPOL (*Colonia Sergia Julia Neapolis*). Sofaer pl. 57, 192. Dark green patina. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$750



- 20660 Neapolis, Samaria. Otacilia Severa, wife of Philip I (244 - 249 AD).** AE (28mm, 16.83 gm, 12h). Draped bust of Otacilia Severa r., on crescent; M OT SEVERAE AVG M C / Eagle standing facing and looking r., carrying Mount Gerizim; COL IVL NEAP (*Colonia Julia Neapolis*). BMC Palestine 135. Sofaer pl. 57,182. Brown patina. About Extremely Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,500



- 20663 Neapolis, Samaria. Philip II (247 - 249 AD).** AE (26mm, 15.62 gm, 12h). Draped bust of Philip II r., laureate; IMP C M IVL PHILIPPO PF AVG / Emperor as founder plowing with bull and cow r.; above the animals' heads, a small standard; above, Mount Gerizim; in exergue, COL and small star; on l., NEAPOLI; on r., NEOCORO (*the new cult of Neapolis*), the. Ros. 105. Harl 76. Sofaer 194. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$500



- 20664 Neapolis, Samaria. Philip II (247 - 249 AD).** AE (28mm, 13.21 gm, 1h). Draped bust of Philip II r., laureate; IMP C M IVL PHILIPPO PF AVG / Mount Gerizim supported by eagle standing with spread wings, head r.: COL IVL NEAPOL (*Colonia Julia Neapolis*). Ros. 85 var. Sofaer pl. 58, 195. Green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$350



- 20661 Neapolis, Samaria. Otacilia Severa, wife of Philip I (244 - 249 AD).** AE (30mm, 15.24 gm, 1h). Draped bust of Otacilia Severa r., M OT SEVERAE AVG M C / Eagle standing facing and looking r., carrying Mount Gerizim; COL IVL NEAP (*Colonia Julia Neapolis*). Ros 94. Sofaer pl. 57,182. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$350



- 20665 Neapolis, Samaria. Philip II (247 - 249 AD).** AE (29mm, 14.08 gm, 7h). Draped bust of Philip II r., laureate; IMP C M IVL PHELIPPO P F AVG / Eagle with spread wings carrying the bust of Serapis; COL IVL NEAPOL (*Colonia Julia Neapolis*). Ros 78. Sofaer pl. 58,200. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$650





- 20666 Neapolis, Samaria. Hostilian (251 AD). AE (24mm, 10.68 gm, 1h).** Draped bust of Hostilian r., radiate; AVT KAI KVINT[OC ΔE]KIOC / Asklepios on r., standing l., extending hand to a serpent (?); on l., Hygieia standing r., feeding serpent from patera; above, Mount Gerizim and star below; ΦΛ NEAC ΠΟΛΕWC (*Flavian Neapolis*). Ros. 109. Harl 103. Sofaer pl. 59,215. Brown patina. Very Fine. Estimate: \$750



- 20667 Neapolis, Samaria. Trebonianus Gallus (251 - 253 AD). AE (26mm, 11.16 gm, 12h).** Draped and cuirassed bust of Volusian r., radiate; [AVT KAIC Γ] OVI TPEB OVOΛOVCIAN / Eagle with spread wings standing facing, looking l., carrying *tabula ansata* inscribed: ΦΛ NEAC / ΠΟΛΕWC / ΕΠΙΧΜ / ΝΕΟΚΟΡ (*Flavian Neapolis in the time of the new cult*); above, small Mount Gerizim flanked by star on l., and crescent on r. Sofaer pl. 60,245. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$500



- 20668 Nicopolis-Emmaus, Judaea. Elagabalus (218 - 222 AD). AE (24mm, 8.24 gm, 8h).** Draped bust of Elagabalus r., radiate; AYT K M AYP ANTONINOC (partial) / Tetrastyle temple with pediment and central arch; within, Tyche standing with foot on prow, resting on standard and holding small bust (?); ANT NIK[ΟΠΟΛΙC] (*of the people of Antoniniana Nicopolis*); between columns, date: E B (year 2 = 219/20 AD). SNG ANS 1044. BMC *Palestine* (Nicopolis) 4. Sofaer pl. 118,3. Samuels 166 (this coin listed in error as Antipatris.) Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,000



- 20669 Nicopolis-Emmaus, Judaea. Elagabalus (218 - 222 AD). AE (24.5mm, 12.24 gm, 6h).** Draped bust of Elagabalus r., laureate; AYT K M AYP ANTONINOC / Tetrastyle temple with pediment and central arch; within, Tyche standing with foot on prow, resting on standard and holding small bust (?); NINI...NW NIKOΠΟΛΙC (*Antoniniana Nicopolis*); in exergue, date: E B (year 2 = 219/20 AD). Sofaer pl. 118,4. Samuels 204 (this coin) Extremely Rare. Cleaned, dark green patina, earthen highlights. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,000

#### Rare Portraits of Gabinius, Crassus



- 20670 Nysa Scythopolis, Decapolis. Aulus Gabinius, Governor of Syria (57 - 55 BC). AE (19.5mm, 7.00 gm, 10h).** Diademed bust of Gabinius r.; on l., ΓΑ / Victory advancing l. extending wreath and holding palm branch over shoulder; ΓΑΒΙΝΕΟ[Ι ΕΝ ΝΥΧ] (*of the people of Gabinian Nysa*). Barkay 1; RPC I 4826. Sofaer pl. 148,5. Samuels 205 (this coin). Scarce. Dark patina. Good Fine.

*Ex. Superior Galleries 12-12-1987, 620.*  
Estimate: \$500



- 20671 Nysa-Scythopolis, Decapolis. A. Gabinius (57-55 BC). AE (21mm, 5.72 g, 12h).** ΓΑΒ to left of laureate bust of Gabinius r. / ΤΩΝ ΕΝ ΝΥΣΗΙ; Nike stands l. holding palm branch and wreath. Sofaer pl. 148,6. Barkay 197,3. RPC 4825. Fine. Estimate: \$150





- 20672** Nysa-Scythopolis, Decapolis. Crassus (54-53 BC). AE (21mm, 6.40 g, 12h). Head of Crassus to r. / TAB NV in l. field, LI in r. field, A in exergue; Dionysus stands to front wearing a short chiton, his head turned l., he holds a thyrsus in l. hand and kantharos in r. Sofaer pl.148, 7. Barkay 198, 5. Ros. 28,3. RPC 4827. Rare. Fine.  
Estimate: \$250



- 20673** Nysa Scythopolis, Decapolis. Faustina Jr., wife Marcus Aurelius (161 - 180 AD). AE (21mm, 6.45 gm, 12h). Bust of Faustina Junior r.; ΦΑΥΚΤΙΝΑΚΕΒΑΚΤΗ / Draped and turreted bust of Tyche r.; NYCA CKO I CYPIAC (Nysa Scythopolis in Coele-Syria). Barkay 24. Spijk. 11. Ros 16. Sofaer-. Samuels 206 (this coin). Very rare. Dark green patina. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$750



- 20674** Nysa Scythopolis, Decapolis. Lucius Verus (161 - 169 AD). AE (30mm, 20.25 gm, 11h). Draped bust of Lucius Verus r., laureate; [AVT KA]IC ΛΟ[V AYP OYHP AYT] / Tetrastyle temple with pediment and central arch; within, Zeus seated l. on throne, holding scepter and Victory crowning him with wreath. At his feet eagle standing l.; NYC[AE] KOI C[VP] (Nysa in Coele-Syria); in exergue, ET ZKC (year 227 = 163/4 AD). Barkay 26. Ros. 19. Sofaer 149,19. Dark patina. About Fine-Fine.  
Estimate: \$350



- 20675** Nysa Scythopolis, Decapolis. Gordian III (138 - 144 AD). AE (23.5mm, 11.35 gm, 5h). Draped and cuirassed bust of Gordian III r., laureate; [AVT K M ANT] ΓΟΡΔΙΑΝΟΚ CEB / Dionysus advancing r., pointing thyrsos at small figure on one knee with hands behind; in l. field, panther standing l. looking backwards; [NYC C]KVΘ IEPAC (Nysa Scythopolis, holy); across field, date: Δ on l. and T on r. (304 = 240/1 AD) Barkay 86. Ros. 59 var. Sofaer pl. 151,60. Dark patina, earthen highlights. Fine.  
Estimate: \$750



- 20676** Nysa Scythopolis as Beisan. Umayyad Period, Arab Byzantine (7th century AD). AE half-follis (18mm, 2.89 gm, 2h). Two imperial figures seated facing, holding scepters; in upper field, cross; between them scepter topped by cross; CKVΘO (Scythopolis) / K; above, crescent; below, x; on l. Arabic inscription: ببسن (Baysan). Walker 78/3. Amitai-Preiss et al. B3. Sofaer pl. 153,83. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$200



- 20677** Caesarea Paneas, Galilee. AE 12.5mm, (2.32 gm, 9h). Autonomous, probably during reign of Marcus Aurelius (161 - 180 AD). Bust of Pan l. / Syrinx. Ros. 8. Mesh. Paneas 3. Sofaer pl. 34,3. Rough, green patina, earthen highlights. About Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$350



- 20678** Caesarea Paneas, Galilee. Marcus Aurelius (161 - 180 AD). AE (27mm, 15.09 gm, 12h). Bust of Marcus Aurelius r., laureate; AYT KAIC M AYP ANTWNEINOC CEB / Pan standing nude facing, looking r., playing flute; on his r., tree trunk with syrinx hung on its lower part and pedum at foot of tree; KAIC CEB IEP KAI ACY T II ΠANEIW (of Caesarea, Augustan, holy, city of Asylum at Panias); across field, date: PO B (172 = 169 AD). Mesh. Paneas 6. Sofaer pl. 34,5. Samuels 211 (this coin). Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Good Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$1,250



- 20679** Caesarea Paneas, Galilee. Marcus Aurelius (161 - 180 AD). AE (13.5mm, 3.13 gm, 9h). Bust of Pan r. / Syrix; POB KAICAP ΠΑΝΙΑΔΟC (*Caesarea Panias* year 172 = 169 AD). Ros. 13. Mesh. Paneas 2. Sofaer pl. 34,2. Samuels 210 (this coin). Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$750



- 20680** Caesarea Paneas, Galilee. Septimius Severus (193 - 211 AD). AE (23.5mm, 8.27 gm, 12h). Bust of Septimius Severus r., laureate; ΑΥΤ Λ [CEII]T CEYHPON / Pan standing nude facing, looking r., playing flute; on his r., tree trunk with syrix hung on its lower part and pedum at foot of tree; [KAIC] CEB IEP KAI CY T ΠΑΝ (*of Caesarea, Augustan, holy, city of Asylum at Panias*); across field, date: Π Θ (retrograde) (199 = 196 AD). Mesh. Paneas 12a. Ros. 19. Sofaer pl. 35, 10 var. Dark green patina. Very Fine. Estimate: \$500



- 20681** Caesarea Paneas, Galilee. Julia Domna, wife Septimius Severus (193 - 211 AD). AE (21mm, 7.31 gm, 12h). Draped bust of Julia Domna r.; ΙΟΥΛΙΑ ΔΟΜΝΑ CEBAC / Pedum on l. and syrix on r.; KAIC CEB IE[P KAI ACYΛ T Π ΠΑΝΑ] (*of Caesarea, Augustan, holy, city of Asylum at Panias*); above, date: C B (202 = 199 AD). Ros. 23. Mesh. Paneas 14. Sofaer pl. 135,13. Rough Surfaces. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$600



- 20682** Caesarea Paneas, Galilee. Caracalla (198 - 217 AD). AE (25mm, 8.56 gm, 5h). Bust of Caracalla r., laureate; Μ ΑΥΡ ΑΝΤ[ΩΝΕΙ] ΝΟC CΕΒΑ / Tyche standing r., holding rudder and cornucopia; KAICAPIA ΠΑΝΙΑC (*Caesarea Panias*); across lower field, date: C ΙΔ (214 = 211 AD). Mesh. Paneas 22. Ros. 27. Sofaer pl. 35,20. Green patina, earthen highlights. About Very Fine. Estimate: \$350



- 20683** Caesarea Paneas, Galilee. Plautilla, wife of Caracalla (198 - 217 AD). AE (14.22 gm, 12h). Bust of Plautilla r.; ΠΛΑΥ[ΤΙΛΛΑ] YΙΑ / Tyche seated r., holding ears of grain; at her feet, river god (Jordan), small figure behind her; KAIC ... ΠΑΝΕΙΩ (*Caesarea Panias*); in r. field, date: Δ C (204 = 201 AD). Sofaer pl. 36, 23 var. Rough surfaces. About Very Fine. Estimate: \$500



- 20684** Caesarea Paneas, Galilee. Geta (209 - 212 AD). AE (18mm, 2.24 gm, 12h). Draped bust of Geta r., laureate; CΕΠΤΙ ΓΕΤΑC KAICAP / Inscription in wreath; C B / KAICAP / ΠΑΝΙΑ / ΔΟC; (*of Caesarea Panias, holy, city of Asylum year 202 = 199 AD*). Mesh. Paneas 18. Ros. 34. Sofaer pl. 35,17. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. About Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$500

## Outstanding AE of Macrinus



- 20685** Caesarea Paneas, Galilee. Macrinus (217 - 218 AD). AE (30.5mm, 23.38 gm, 12h). Draped and cuirassed bust of Macrinus r., laureate; AVT KAIC MAKPINOC CEB / Zeus, flanked by pedum and syrinx, stands l. holding patera and scepter within tetrastyle temple; KAIC IIA CEB IEP ACY (of Caesarea Panias, holy, city of Asylum); in exergue, date: KC (220 = 217 AD). Cf. Mesh. Paneas 29. Samuels 213 (this coin). Very rare. Dark green patina, highlighted by earthen fields. About Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$10,000



- 20686** Caesarea Paneas, Galilee. Elagabalus (218 - 222 AD). AE (27mm, 13.11 gm, 1h). Draped and cuirassed bust of Elagabalus r., laureate; AVT K M ANTWNINOC / Pan standing nude facing, looking r., playing flute; on his r., tree trunk with syrinx hung on its lower part, inside niche cut in the rock; below, cave with fence in front; on rock edges, trees; in l. field, pedum and in r. field, syrinx; KAI IIAN CEB I AYC CKT (of Caesarea Panias, holy, city of Asylum year 223 = 220 AD). Mesh. Paneas 41 var. Ros. 47 var. Sofaer pl. 36,33 var. Rough, dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine/Fine. Estimate: \$350



- 20687** Caesarea Paneas. Elagabalus (218 - 222 AD). AE (30mm, 23.89 gm, 6h). Draped bust of Elagabalus r., radiate; AVT K M ANTWNINOC C / Pan playing flute inside niche above semi-circular colonnade with sacred tree in center, fence with altar in front; KAICPAN CE IE ACYL, in fields date: CKB (222 = 219 AD). Meshorer *City Coins* 190 (Franciscan Biblical School). Ros -, Sofaer -. Extremely rare. Green patina shows through earthen encrustation. Good very Fine. Estimate: \$3,500



- 20688** Caesarea Paneas, Galilee. Julia Soaemias, mother Elagabalus (218 - 222 AD). AE (28mm, 16.12 gm, 12h). Draped bust of Julia Soaemias r., IOYAIA COAIMIAC AV / Pan standing nude facing, looking r., playing flute; on his r., tree trunk with syrinx hung on its lower part and pedum r. at foot of tree, goat kneels to l. of Pan; KAIC IIA C[IE IE AC]YA (of Caesarea Panias, holy, city of Asylum); in fields, date: CKT (223 = 220 AD). Mesh. Paneas 54 var. Ros. 54 var. Sofaer pl. 37,40. Dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$650





- 20689 Pella, Decapolis. Domitian (81 - 96 AD). AE (20mm, 5.30 gm, 12h).** AVTOKPATΩP ΔOMITIANO[Σ KAΙΣAP] / Victory standing r., writing on shield resting on her knee; ΠΕΛΛΗΝΩΝ L EMP (of the people of Pella, year 145 = 82/3 AD). Spijk. 3. Ros. 1. Sofaer pl. 154,2. RPC II 2100. Brown patina. Extremely Fine.

*This remarkable coin copies Agrippa II's coins that celebrate the victory of his Roman allies over the Jews and is also reminiscent of the Flavian Judaea Capta series struck at Caesarea Maritima under Vespasian and Titus.*

Estimate: \$500



- 20690 Pella, Decapolis. Commodus (177 - 192 AD). AE medallion (34mm, 21.90 gm, 12h).** Draped bust of Commodus r., laureate; AV K M AYP [K]OMOΔOC / Nymphaeum resting on two large pillars, stone inside, flanked by arches built in stories; ΦΙΛΙΠΠ CΠΕΑ ...NY..Φ CY (of the people of Pella Philippi at the Nymphaeum in Coele-Syria), date: MC (year 240 = 177/8 AD). Spijkerman 8. Rosenberger 4. Sofaer -. Samuels 215 (this coin). Extremely rare. Tooled on reverse, dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine.

Estimate: \$8,500

## Acropolis of Pella



- 20691 Pella, Decapolis. Commodus (177 - 192 AD). AE medallion (35mm, 26.14 gm, 10h).** Draped and cuirassed bust of Commodus r., laureate; AV K M KOMMOΔOC ANTWNINOC / Acropolis of Pella with hexastyle temple and figure standing in center. The temple is placed on podium supported by pillars; at the base of mountain, a colonnade with gateways; [ΦΙΛΙΠΠ T K ΠΕΛΛΑ]IWN Π NYΦ K CY ΠIEΛ (of the people of Philippopolis which is also Pella at the Nymphaeum in Coele-Syria, free); in exergue, date: ETO çMC (year 246 = 183/4 AD). Spijk. 9. Mesh City Coins 250. Ros. 9. Sofaer pl. 154,7. Samuels 216 (this coin). Very Rare. Dark green patina with earthen highlights, lightly smoothed. Good Very Fine/Very Fine.

Estimate: \$6,000



- 20692 Petra, Provincia Arabia. Hadrian (117 - 138 AD). AE (26mm, 13.03 gm, 6h).** Draped and cuirassed bust of Hadrian r., laureate; ΑΥΤΟΚΡ[ΑΤΟΡ ΚΑΙΣΑΡ Τ]ΡΑΙΑΝΟΣ ΑΔΡΙΑΝΟΣ / Tyche seated l. on rock, holding trophy in palm of extended hand; ΠΕΤΡΑ [ΜΗΤΡ]ΟΠΟΛΙΣ (*Petra Metropolis*). Ros. 3. Spijk. 2. Sofaer pl. 155,3. Brown patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$500



- 20695 Philippopolis, Provincia Arabia. Philip I (244 - 249 AD). AE (24mm, 8.33 gm, 6h).** Draped bust of Philip I r., laureate; ΑΥΤΟΚΡ[ΑΤΟΡ ΚΑΙΣΑΡ Τ]ΡΑΙΑΝΟΣ ΑΔΡΙΑΝΟΣ / Roma standing l., holding spear over shield and holding bowl; ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΠΟΛΙΤΩΝ ΚΟΛΩΝΙΑΣ (*of the Philadelphians in Coele-Syria*); across field, S C. Spijk. 17. Ros. 18. Sofaer pl. 160,20. Samuels 219 (this coin). Earthen highlights. Fine. Estimate: \$250



- 20693 Philadelphia, Decapolis. Hadrian (117 - 138 AD). AE (24.5mm, 10.69 gm, 12h).** Draped and cuirassed bust of Hadrian r., seen from rear, laureate; ΑΥΤΟΚΡΑ ΑΔΡΙΑΝΟΣ ΚΕΒΑΚΤΟΚ / Bust of Heracles r., laureate, lion's skin knotted round neck; ΦΙΛΑΔΕΛΦΕΩΝ ΚΟΙΛΗΣ ΚΥΡΙΑΣ (*of the Philadelphians in Coele-Syria*). Ros. 15. Spijk. 11. Sofaer pl. 159,14. Green patina, earthen highlights. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$600



- 20696 Rabbathmoba, Provincia Arabia. Septimius Severus (193 - 211 AD). AE (29mm, 15.00 gm, 12h).** Draped bust of Septimius Severus r., laureate; ΑΥΤ ΚΑΙΣΑΡ ΣΕΒΗΡΟΣ / Draped bust of Tyche wearing turreted crown r. ΠΑΒΒΑ ΘΜΩΒΥΝ (*of the people of Rabbathmoba*). Ros. 6. Spijk. - . Sofaer -. Extremely rare. Green and brown patina, earthen highlights. Green-brown patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$1,000



- 20694 Philadelphia, Decapolis. Antoninus Pius (138 - 161 AD). AE (22mm, 8.33 gm, 6h).** Draped bust of Antoninus Pius r., laureate; facing him small bust of Athena l.; ΑΥΤ ΚΑΙΣΑΡ[ΑΝΤΩΝΙΝΟΥΣ] / Bust of Heracles r. bareheaded with lion's skin around neck; ΦΙΛΑΔΕΛΦΕΩΝ ... ΚΟΙΛΗΣ ΚΥΡΙΑΣ (*of the Philadelphians in Coele-Syria*). Spijk. 17. Ros. 18. Sofaer pl. 160, 20. Samuels 219 (this coin). Green patina, earthen highlights. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$500



- 20697 Rabbathmoba, Provincia Arabia. Julia Domna, wife Septimius Severus (193 - 211 AD). AE (30mm, 15.42 gm, 12h).** Draped bust of Julia Domna r.; ΙΟΥΛΙΑ ΔΟΜΝΑ / Ares standing facing on high base with pilasters, between two flaming altars, holding dagger and shield with spear; ΠΑΒΒΑ ΘΜΩΒ[Α] (*of the people of Rabbathmoba*), (variety without date). Spijk. 10 var. Mesh. City Coins 271. Ros 11 variety. Sofaer 9 (obv.) and 10 (rev.) Samuels 220 (this coin). Brown patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$750





- 20698 Rabbathmoba, Provincia Arabia. Caracalla (198 - 217 AD). AE (25mm, 8.91 gm, 12h).** Draped and cuirassed bust of Caracalla r., seen from rear, laureate; AVT K M AV ANTWNINOC / Poseidon standing l., resting foot on prow, holding trident and dolphin; APCAIOAIN (*of the people of Aresopolis-[a second name for this city]*). Ros. 15. Spijk. 29b. Sofaer -. Brown patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$350



- 20699 Raphia, Judaea. Severus Alexander (232 - 235 AD). AE (24.5mm, 12.27gm, 12h).** Draped bust of Severus Alexander r., laureate; AYT KAI M A CE AΛEEANΔPOC lots of legend, difficult to read / Artemis advancing r., holding bow and drawing arrow from quiver at her shoulder; before her, stag running r.; IEPA PAΦIA (*Raphia, holy*) and date ΘC (290 = 230/1 AD). Mesh. Raphia 45. Ros. 23. Sofaer pl. 122,17. Samuels 221 (this coin). Brown patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$500



- 20700 Sebaste, Samaria. Domitian (81 - 96 AD). AE (21mm, 7.47 gm, 12h).** Bust of Domitian r., laureate: IMP DOMITIANVS CAESAR / Armed warrior (the emperor?) standing facing holding parazonium in r. and resting on spear with l.; CEBAC THNWN (*of the people of Sebaste*); in upper l. field, date: ΛΘP (*year 109 = 81/2 AD*). Ros. 8. RPC II 2228. Sofaer pl. 62,10. Some cleaning, rough surfaces, dark green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$350



- 20701 Sebaste, Samaria. Commodus (177 - 192 AD). AE (30mm, 13.80 gm, 12h).** Draped bust of Commodus r., laureate; IMP C A [CO....] / Tyche stands l. in tetrastyle temple, she rests r. foot on small figure, holds small bust in extended r. hand and holds scepter with l.; CEBACTHNEN CYP CIE (*of the people of Sebaste in Syria, year 215 = 190/1 AD*). Ros. 14. Sofaer -. Samuels 222 (this coin). Lovely coin, dark green patina, earthen highlights. Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$3,500



- 20703 Sebaste, Samaria. Commodus (177 - 192 AD). AE (23mm, 6.95 gm, 6h).** Draped bust of Commodus r., laureate; IMP C M AV COM ANT / Ares, nude and helmeted, walks r. with shield on left arm, spear in r.; CEBACTH NWN CVP (*of the people of Sebaste in Syria*), in fields L C Iç (216 = 191/2 AD). Ros. 15. BMC 10. Sofaer -. Samuels 223 (this coin). Dark green patina. Extremely Fine/Very Fine. Estimate: \$500





- 20704 Sebaste, Samaria. Commodus (177 - 192 AD). AE (4.36 gm, 6h).** Bust of Commodus r., laureate; IMP CM AV COM / Cista mystica surrounded by snakes; CEBACTHN CYP LCI $\varsigma$  (*of the people of Sebastia in Syria, year 216 = 191 AD*). Ros. 16. Mesh. City Coins 115. Sofaer -. Green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine. Estimate: \$350



- 20705 Sebaste, Samaria. Septimius Severus (193 - 211 AD). AE (33mm, 30.04 gm, 2h).** Draped bust of Septimius Severus r., laureate; IMP CAES [LVC SEP] SEV PERT AVG / Rape of Kore-Persephone: Hades in galloping quadriga r., looking back and carrying Persephone in r. arm; above horses, Eros flying r.; in exergue, CEBACTHNWN CYP (*of the people of Sebaste in Syria*), above LCK $\varsigma$  (*year 226 = 201/2 AD*). Ros. 17. BMC 13 var. Sofaer pl. 62,18 var. Samuels 224 (this coin). Very rare. Nice dark green patina. Very Fine. Estimate: \$9,000



- 20706 Sebaste, Samaria. Geta (209 - 212 AD). AE (23mm, 9.33 gm, 12h).** Draped bust of Geta r., bareheaded; L S GET C AVG PIIF / Ares, nude, standing r., leaning on spear and holding parazonium; at his feet, small round shield; CEBACTH CYP L CK $\varsigma$  (*of the people of Sebaste in Syria, year 226 = 198/9 AD*). Ros. 24. Sofaer pl. 63,25. Green patina, earthen highlights. Good Very Fine. Estimate: \$650



- 20707 Sebaste, Samaria. Geta (209 - 212 AD). AE (23mm, 8.75 gm, 12h).** Draped bust of Geta r., bareheaded; L S GET C AVG PIIF / Ares, nude, standing r., leaning on spear and holding parazonium; at his feet, small round shield; CEBACTH CYP L CK $\varsigma$  (*of the people of Sebaste in Syria, year 226 = 198/9 AD*). Ros. 24. Sofaer pl. 63,25. Green patina. About Extremely Fine. Estimate: \$750



- 20708 Sebaste, Samaria. Caracalla (198 - 217 AD). AE (27mm, 5.66 gm, 12h).** Draped bust of young Caracalla r., laureate; IMP C M AVR ANTON AVG / Tetrastyle temple with central arch; within, Tyche standing l., resting foot on small winged sphinx, holding scepter and small bust; in between columns, small figures; on l., COL L; on r., SEP; in exergue, SEBASTE (*Colony Lucia Septima Sebaste*). Ros. 19 var. Sofaer -. Slightly rough, dark patina. Very Fine/Very Fine plus. Estimate: \$500



- 20709 Sebaste, Samaria. Elagabalus (218 - 222 AD). AE (23mm, 10.03 gm, 6h).** Draped bust of Elagabalus r., laureate; [IMP M] AV[R ANTONINVS] / Sphinx seated l., with r. foreleg on wheel; on top of its wing, head l.; COL L [SEP]; in exergue, SEBASTE (*Colony Lucia Septima Sebaste*). Ros. -. Sofaer 63,30. Green patina. Very Fine. Estimate: \$500



- 20710 Sepphoris, Galilee. Trajan (98 - 117 AD). AE (25 X 27mm, 14.83 gm, 12h).** Head of Trajan r., laureate; TPAIANO $\varsigma$  AYTOKPATOP EΔΩKEN (*the Emperor Trajan gave*) / Inscription in wreath: ΣΕΠΦΩ PHNΩN (*of the people of Sepphoris*). Ros. 3. Mesh. City Coins 87. BMC Palestine 1. Sofaer pl. 64,1. Samuels 228 (this coin). Green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine/Very Fine plus.

*The obverse inscription on the four coin types struck at Sepphoris under Trajan are remarkable for their obverse inscription and their reverse designs. The inscription, which states that the "Emperor Trajan gave" is unique and does not appear elsewhere on coins. What did Trajan give to the people of Sepphoris? Perhaps it was the right to mint a series of coins that did not have traditional provincial reverses with pagan gods and temples, since this series of coins carried only neutral images on their reverses-wreath, palm tree, winged caduceus, and ears of grain.*  
Estimate: \$600



- 20711** Tiberias, Galilee. Trajan (98 - 117 AD). AE (24mm, 10.16 gm, 12h). Head of Trajan r., laureate; AY T KAI NEP TPAIANOC CEB ΓEP / Hygieia seated r. on rock below which water is flowing, feeding snake from bowl; TIBEP I KAAΥΔI (*Tiberias Claudia*); across field, date: ET AΠ (*year 81 = 99/100 AD*). Ros. 6. Mesh. *City Coins* 78. Sofaer pl. 65,2. Samuels 228 (this coin). Cleaned, green patina, earthen highlights. Very Fine.  
Estimate: \$350



- 20712** Tiberias, Galilee. Hadrian (117 - 138 AD). AE (22.5mm, 6.97 gm, 12h). Bust of Hadrian r., laureate; inscription: AY T TPA AΔ[P]IANW KAIC CEB / Tyche standing l. wearing short dress, resting r. foot on prow of galley, holding bust and scepter; TIBEP KAAΥΔ (*Tiberias Claudia*); in field, date: L AP (101 = 119/20 AD). Dark green patina. Very Fine.

*Ex Superior Galleries 5-30-1990, 7009.*  
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# Abbreviations and Bibliography

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AJC I and II: Meshorer 1982.  
BMC (various): Hill 1910, 1914, 1922.  
BN: Girard J-B. 1998.  
DOC: Bellinger and Grierson et. al.  
GIC: Howgego 1985  
Hendin: Hendin 2010.  
MCP: Menorah Coin Project  
MIB: Hahn 1981.  
Mildenberg or Mild.: Mildenberg 1984 (unless noted)  
M-Q CS: Meshorer and Qedar 1991  
M-Q SC: Meshorer and Qedar 1999  
RIC: Carradice and Buttrety 2007.  
Ros.: Rosenberger vol. I-IV by city listings.  
RIC: Mattingly, H. various.  
RPC I and II: Burnett et. al. 1992 & 1999.  
TJC: Meshorer 2001.  
SNG ANS: Meshorer 1981.  
Spijk.: Spijkerman 1978.  
Traité: Babelon, E 1910-1932.  
Vestigia: Hubner and Knauf.

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- Fifteen percent (15%) on Arms & Armor, Currency, US Coin, and World & Ancient Coin Auctions lots; except that the World and Ancient Coin Auctions 3003 & 3018 shall have a Buyer's Premium of 19.5%;
- Nineteen and one-half percent (19.5%) on Americana & Political, Civil War & Militaria, Comic, Manuscript, Movie Poster, Space Exploration, Sports Collectibles, Texana, Wine, and Gallery Auction (sealed bid auctions of mostly bulk numismatic material) lots;
- For all other categories not listed above, twenty-five percent (25%) on the first \$50,000 (minimum \$14), twenty percent (20%) of any amount between \$50,000 and \$1,000,000, and twelve percent (12%) of any amount over \$1,000,000.

## Auction Venues:

3. The following Auctions are conducted solely on the Internet: Heritage Weekly Internet Auctions (Coin, Currency, Comics, Rare Books, Jewelry & Watches, Guitars & Musical Instruments, and Vintage Movie Posters); Heritage Monthly Internet Auctions (Sports, World Coins and Rare Wine). Signature® Auctions and Grand Format Auctions accept bids from the Internet, telephone, fax, or mail first, followed by a floor bidding session; HeritageLive! and real-time telephone bidding are available to registered clients during these auctions.

## Bidders:

4. Any person participating or registering for the Auction agrees to be bound by and accepts these Terms and Conditions of Auction ("Bidder(s)").
5. All Bidders must meet Auctioneer's qualifications to bid. Any Bidder who is not a client in good standing of the Auctioneer may be disqualified at Auctioneer's sole option and will not be awarded lots. Such determination may be made by Auctioneer in its sole and unlimited discretion, at any time prior to, during, or even after the close of the Auction. Auctioneer reserves the right to exclude any person from the auction.
6. If an entity places a bid, then the person executing the bid on behalf of the entity agrees to personally guarantee payment for any successful bid.

## Credit:

7. In order to place bids, Bidders who have not established credit with the Auctioneer must either furnish satisfactory credit information (including two collectibles-related business references) or supply valid credit card information along with a social security number, well in advance of the Auction. Bids placed through our Interactive Internet program will only be accepted from pre-registered Bidders. Bidders who are not members of HA.com or affiliates should preregister at least 48 hours before the start of the first session (exclusive of holidays or weekends) to allow adequate time to contact references. Credit will be granted at the discretion of Auctioneer. Additionally Bidders who have not previously established credit or who wish to bid in excess of their established credit history may be required to provide their social security number or the last four digits thereof so a credit check may be performed prior to Auctioneer's acceptance of a bid. Check writing privileges and immediate delivery of merchandise may also be determined by pre-approval of credit based on a combination of criteria: HA.com history, related industry references, bank verification, a credit bureau report and/or a personal guarantee for a corporate or partnership entity in advance of the auction venue.

## Bidding Options:

8. Bids in Signature, Auctions or Grand Format Auctions may be placed as set forth in the printed catalog section entitled "Choose your bidding method." For auctions held solely on the Internet, see the alternatives on HA.com. Review at HA.com/common/howtobid.php.
9. Presentment of Bids: Non-Internet bids (including but not limited to podium, fax, phone and mail bids) are treated similar to floor bids in that they must be on-increment or at a half increment (called a cut bid). Any podium, fax, phone, or mail bids that do not conform to a full or half increment will be rounded up or down to the nearest full or half increment and this revised amount will be considered your high bid.
10. Auctioneer's Execution of Certain Bids. Auctioneer cannot be responsible for your errors in bidding, so carefully check that every bid is entered correctly. When identical mail or FAX bids are submitted, preference is given to the first received. To ensure the greatest accuracy, your written bids should be entered on the standard printed bid sheet and be received at Auctioneer's place of business at least two business days before the Auction start. Auctioneer is not responsible for executing mail bids or FAX bids received on or after the day the first lot is sold, nor Internet bids submitted after the published closing time; nor is Auctioneer responsible for proper execution of bids submitted by telephone, mail, FAX, e-mail, Internet, or in person once the Auction begins. Bids placed electronically via the internet may not be withdrawn until your written request is received and acknowledged by Auctioneer (FAX: 214-443-8425); such requests must state the reason, and may constitute grounds for withdrawal of bidding privileges. Lots won by mail Bidders will not be delivered at the Auction unless prearranged.
11. Caveat as to Bid Increments. Bid increments (over the current bid level) determine the lowest amount you may bid on a particular lot. Bids greater than one increment over the current bid can be any whole dollar amount. It is possible under several circumstances for winning bids to be between increments, sometimes only \$1 above the previous increment. Please see: "How can I lose by less than an increment?" on our website. Bids will be accepted in whole dollar amounts only. No "buy" or "unlimited" bids will be accepted.

The following chart governs current bidding increments.

Current Bid.....	Bid Increment	Current Bid.....	Bid Increment
<\$10 .....	\$1	\$20,000 - \$29,999 .....	\$2,000
\$10 - \$29 .....	\$2	\$30,000 - \$49,999 .....	\$2,500
\$30 - \$49 .....	\$3	\$50,000 - \$99,999 .....	\$5,000
\$50 - \$99 .....	\$5	\$100,000 - \$199,999 .....	\$10,000
\$100 - \$199 .....	\$10	\$200,000 - \$299,999 .....	\$20,000
\$200 - \$299 .....	\$20	\$300,000 - \$499,999 .....	\$25,000
\$300 - \$499 .....	\$25	\$500,000 - \$999,999 .....	\$50,000
\$500 - \$999 .....	\$50	\$1,000,000 - \$1,999,999 .....	\$100,000
\$1,000 - \$1,999 .....	\$100	\$2,000,000 - \$2,999,999 .....	\$200,000
\$2,000 - \$2,999 .....	\$200	\$3,000,000 - \$4,999,999 .....	\$250,000
\$3,000 - \$4,999 .....	\$250	\$5,000,000 - \$9,999,999 .....	\$500,000
\$5,000 - \$9,999 .....	\$500	>\$10,000,000 .....	\$1,000,000
\$10,000 - \$19,999 .....	\$1,000		

12. If Auctioneer calls for a full increment, a bidder may request Auctioneer to accept a bid at half of the increment ("Cut Bid") only once per lot. After offering a Cut Bid, bidders may continue to participate only at full increments. Off-increment bids may be accepted by the Auctioneer at Signature® Auctions and Grand Format Auctions. If the Auctioneer solicits bids other than the expected increment, these bids will not be considered Cut Bids.

## Conducting the Auction:

13. Notice of the consignor's liberty to place bids on his lots in the Auction is hereby made in accordance with Article 2 of the Texas Business and Commercial Code. A "Minimum Bid" is an amount below which the lot will not sell. THE CONSIGNOR OF PROPERTY MAY PLACE WRITTEN "Minimum Bids" ON HIS LOTS IN ADVANCE OF THE AUCTION; ON SUCH LOTS, IF THE HAMMER PRICE DOES NOT MEET THE "Minimum Bid", THE CONSIGNOR MAY PAY A REDUCED COMMISSION ON THOSE LOTS. "Minimum Bids" are generally posted online several days prior to the Auction closing. For any successful bid placed by a consignor on his Property on the Auction floor, or by any means during the live session, or after the "Minimum Bid" for an Auction have been posted, we will require the consignor to pay full Buyer's Premium and Seller's Commissions on such lot.
14. The highest qualified Bidder recognized by the Auctioneer shall be the Buyer. In the event of a tie bid, the earliest bid received or recognized wins. In the event of any dispute between any Bidders at an Auction, Auctioneer may at his sole discretion reoffer the lot. Auctioneer's decision and declaration of the winning Bidder shall be final and binding upon all Bidders. Bids properly offered, whether by floor Bidder or other means of bidding, may on occasion be missed or go unrecognized; in such cases, the Auctioneer may declare the recognized bid accepted as the winning bid, regardless of whether a competing bid may have been higher.
15. Auctioneer reserves the right to refuse to honor any bid or to limit the amount of any bid, in its sole discretion. A bid is considered not made in "Good Faith" when made by an insolvent or irresponsible person, a person under the age of eighteen, or is not supported by satisfactory credit, collectibles references, or otherwise. Regardless of the disclosure of his identity, any bid by a consignor or his agent on a lot consigned by him is deemed to be made in "Good Faith." Any person apparently appearing on the OFAC list is not eligible to bid.
16. Nominal Bids. The Auctioneer in its sole discretion may reject nominal bids, small opening bids, or very nominal advances. If a lot bearing estimates fails to open for 40-60% of the low estimate, the Auctioneer may pass the item or may place a protective bid on behalf of the consignor.
17. Lots bearing bidding estimates shall open at Auctioneer's discretion (approximately 50%-60% of the low estimate). In the event that no bid meets or exceeds that opening amount, the lot shall pass as unsold.
18. All items are to be purchased per lot as numerically indicated and no lots will be broken. Auctioneer reserves the right to withdraw, prior to the close, any lots from the Auction.
19. Auctioneer reserves the right to rescind the sale in the event of nonpayment, breach of a warranty, disputed ownership, auctioneer's clerical error or omission in exercising bids and reserves, or for any other reason and in Auctioneer's sole discretion. In cases of nonpayment, Auctioneer's election to void a sale does not relieve the Bidder from their obligation to pay Auctioneer its fees (seller's and buyer's premium) and any other damages or expenses pertaining to the lot.
20. Auctioneer occasionally experiences Internet and/or Server service outages, and Auctioneer periodically schedules system downtime for maintenance and other purposes, during which Bidders cannot participate or place bids. If such outages occur, we may at our discretion extend bidding for the Auction. Bidders unable to place their Bids through the Internet are directed to contact Client Services at 1-800-872-6467.
21. The Auctioneer, its affiliates, or their employees consign items to be sold in the Auction, and may bid on those lots or any other lots. Auctioneer or affiliates expressly reserve the right to modify any such bids at any time prior to the hammer based upon data made known to the Auctioneer or its affiliates. The Auctioneer may extend advances, guarantees, or loans to certain consignors.
22. The Auctioneer has the right to sell certain unsold items after the close of the Auction. Such lots shall be considered sold during the Auction and all these Terms and Conditions shall apply to such sales including but not limited to the Buyer's Premium, return rights, and disclaimers.

## Payment:

23. All sales are strictly for cash in United States dollars (including U.S. currency, bank wire, cashier checks, travelers checks, eChecks, and bank money orders, and are subject to all reporting requirements). All deliveries are subject to good funds; funds being received in Auctioneer's account before delivery of the Purchases; and all payments are subject to a clearing period. Auctioneer reserves the right to determine if a check constitutes "good funds": checks drawn on a U.S. bank are subject to a ten business day hold, and thirty days when drawn on an international bank. Clients with pre-arranged credit status may receive immediate credit for payments via eCheck, personal or corporate checks. All others will be subject to a hold of 5 days, or more, for the funds to clear prior to releasing merchandise. (ref. T&C item 7 Credit for additional information.) Payments can be made 24-48 hours post auction from the My Orders page of the HA.com website.
24. Payment is due upon closing of the Auction session, or upon presentment of an invoice. Auctioneer reserves the right to void an invoice if payment in full is not received within 7 days after the close of the Auction. In cases of nonpayment, Auctioneer's election to void a sale does not relieve the Bidder from their obligation to pay Auctioneer its fees (seller's and buyer's premium) on the lot and any other damages pertaining to the lot.
25. Lots delivered to you, or your representative in the States of Texas, California, New York, or other states where the Auction may be held, are subject to all applicable state and local taxes, unless appropriate permits are on file with Auctioneer. (Note: Coins are only subject to sales tax in California on invoices under \$1500 and in Texas on invoices under \$1000. Check the Web site at: <http://coins.ha.com/c/ref/sales-tax.zx> for more details.) Bidder agrees to pay Auctioneer the actual amount of tax due in the event that sales tax is not properly collected due to: 1) an expired, inaccurate, inappropriate tax certificate or declaration, 2) an incorrect interpretation of the applicable statute, 3) or any other reason. The appropriate form or certificate must be on file at and verified by Auctioneer five days prior to Auction or tax must be paid; only if such form or certificate is received by Auctioneer within 4 days after the Auction can a refund of tax paid be made. Lots from different Auctions may not be aggregated for sales tax purposes.
26. In the event that a Bidder's payment is dishonored upon presentment(s), Bidder shall pay the maximum statutory processing fee set by applicable state law. If you attempt to pay via eCheck and your financial institution denies this transfer from your bank account, or the payment cannot be completed using the selected funding source, you agree to complete payment using your credit card on file.
27. If any Auction invoice submitted by Auctioneer is not paid in full when due, the unpaid balance will bear interest at the highest rate permitted by law from the date of invoice until paid. Any invoice not paid when due will bear a three percent (3%) late fee on the invoice amount or three percent (3%) of any installment that is past due. If the Auctioneer refers any invoice to an attorney for collection, the buyer agrees to pay attorney's fees, court costs, and other collection costs incurred by Auctioneer. If Auctioneer assigns collection to its in-house legal staff, such attorney's time expended on the matter shall be compensated at a rate comparable to the hourly rate of independent attorneys.
28. In the event a successful Bidder fails to pay any amounts due, Auctioneer reserves the right to sell the lot(s) securing the invoice to any underbidders in the Auction that the lot(s) appeared, or at subsequent private or public sale, or relist the lot(s) in a future auction conducted by Auctioneer. A defaulting Bidder agrees to pay for the reasonable costs of resale (including a 10% seller's commission, if consigned to an auction conducted by Auctioneer). The defaulting Bidder is liable to pay any difference between his total original invoice for the lot(s), plus any applicable interest, and the net proceeds for the lot(s) if sold at private sale or the subsequent hammer price of the lot(s) less the 10% seller's commissions, if sold at an Auctioneer's auction.



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29. Auctioneer reserves the right to require payment in full in good funds before delivery of the merchandise.
30. Auctioneer shall have a lien against the merchandise purchased by the buyer to secure payment of the Auction invoice. Auctioneer is further granted a lien and the right to retain possession of any other property of the buyer then held by the Auctioneer or its affiliates to secure payment of any Auction invoice or any other amounts due the Auctioneer or affiliates from the buyer. With respect to these lien rights, Auctioneer shall have all the rights of a secured creditor under Article 9 of the Texas Uniform Commercial Code, including but not limited to the right of sale. In addition, with respect to payment of the Auction invoice(s), the buyer waives any and all rights of offset he might otherwise have against the Auctioneer and the consignor of the merchandise included on the invoice. If a Bidder owes Auctioneer or its affiliates on any account, Auctioneer and its affiliates shall have the right to offset such unpaid account by any credit balance due Bidder, and it may secure by possessory lien any unpaid amount by any of the Bidder's property in their possession.
31. Title shall not pass to the successful Bidder until all invoices are paid in full. It is the responsibility of the buyer to provide adequate insurance coverage for the items once they have been delivered to a common carrier or third-party shipper.

## **Delivery; Shipping; and Handling Charges:**

32. Buyer is liable for shipping and handling. Please refer to Auctioneer's website [www.HA.com/common/shipping.php](http://www.HA.com/common/shipping.php) for the latest charges or call Auctioneer. Auctioneer is unable to combine purchases from other auctions or affiliates into one package for shipping purposes. Lots won will be shipped in a commercially reasonable time after payment in good funds for the merchandise and the shipping fees is received or credit extended, except when third-party shipment occurs.
33. Successful international Bidders shall provide written shipping instructions, including specified customs declarations, to the Auctioneer for any lots to be delivered outside of the United States. NOTE: Declaration value shall be the item(s) hammer price together with its buyer's premium and Auctioneer shall use the correct harmonized code for the lot. Domestic Buyers on lots designated for third-party shipment must designate the common carrier, accept risk of loss, and prepay shipping costs.
34. All shipping charges will be borne by the successful Bidder. On all domestic shipments, any risk of loss during shipment will be borne by Heritage until the shipping carrier's confirmation of delivery to the address of record in Auctioneer's file (carrier's confirmation is conclusive to prove delivery to Bidder; if the client has a Signature release on file with the carrier, the package is considered delivered without Signature) or delivery by Heritage to Bidder's selected third-party shipper. On all foreign shipments, any risk of loss during shipment will be borne by the Bidder following Auctioneer's delivery to the Bidder's designated common carrier or third-party shipper.
35. Due to the nature of some items sold, it shall be the responsibility for the successful Bidder to arrange pick-up and shipping through third-parties; as to such items Auctioneer shall have no liability. Failure to pick-up or arrange shipping in a timely fashion (within ten days) shall subject Lots to storage and moving charges, including a \$100 administration fee plus \$10 daily storage for larger items and \$5.00 daily for smaller items (storage fee per item) after 35 days. In the event the Lot is not removed within ninety days, the Lot may be offered for sale to recover any past due storage or moving fees, including a 10% Seller's Commission.
36. The laws of various countries regulate the import or export of certain plant and animal properties, including (but not limited to) items made of (or including) ivory, whalebone, turtle shell, coral, crocodile, or other wildlife. Transport of such lots may require special licenses for export, import, or both. Bidder is responsible for: 1) obtaining all information on such restricted items for both export and import; 2) obtaining all such licenses and/or permits. Delay or failure to obtain any such license or permit does not relieve the buyer of timely compliance with standard payment terms. For further information, please contact Ron Brackemyre at 800- 872-6467 ext. 1312.
37. Any request for shipping verification for undelivered packages must be made within 30 days of shipment by Auctioneer.

## **Cataloging, Warranties and Disclaimers:**

38. NO WARRANTY, WHETHER EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED, IS MADE WITH RESPECT TO ANY DESCRIPTION CONTAINED IN THIS AUCTION OR ANY SECOND OPINE. Any description of the items or second opine contained in this Auction is for the sole purpose of identifying the items for those Bidders who do not have the opportunity to view the lots prior to bidding, and no description of items has been made part of the basis of the bargain or has created any express warranty that the goods would conform to any description made by Auctioneer. Color variations can be expected in any electronic or printed imaging, and are not grounds for the return of any lot. NOTE: Auctioneer, in specified auction venues, for example, Fine Art, may have express written warranties and you are referred to those specific terms and conditions. .
39. Auctioneer is selling only such right or title to the items being sold as Auctioneer may have by virtue of consignment agreements on the date of auction and disclaims any warranty of title to the Property. Auctioneer disclaims any warranty of merchantability or fitness for any particular purposes. All images, descriptions, sales data, and archival records are the exclusive property of Auctioneer, and may be used by Auctioneer for advertising, promotion, archival records, and any other uses deemed appropriate.
40. Translations of foreign language documents may be provided as a convenience to interested parties. Auctioneer makes no representation as to the accuracy of those translations and will not be held responsible for errors in bidding arising from inaccuracies in translation.
41. Auctioneer disclaims all liability for damages, consequential or otherwise, arising out of or in connection with the sale of any Property by Auctioneer to Bidder. No third party may rely on any benefit of these Terms and Conditions and any rights, if any, established hereunder are personal to the Bidder and may not be assigned. Any statement made by the Auctioneer is an opinion and does not constitute a warranty or representation. No employee of Auctioneer may alter these Terms and Conditions, and, unless signed by a principal of Auctioneer, any such alteration is null and void.
42. Auctioneer shall not be liable for breakage of glass or damage to frames (patent or latent); such defects, in any event, shall not be a basis for any claim for return or reduction in purchase price.

## **Release:**

43. In consideration of participation in the Auction and the placing of a bid, Bidder expressly releases Auctioneer, its officers, directors and employees, its affiliates, and its outside experts that provide second opinions, from any and all claims, cause of action, chose of action, whether at law or equity or any arbitration or mediation rights existing under the rules of any professional society or affiliation based upon the assigned description, or a derivative theory, breach of warranty express or implied, representation or other matter set forth within these Terms and Conditions of Auction or otherwise. In the event of a claim, Bidder agrees that such rights and privileges conferred therein are strictly construed as specifically declared herein; e.g., authenticity, typographical error, etc. and are the exclusive remedy. Bidder, by non-compliance to these express terms of a granted remedy, shall waive any claim against Auctioneer.
44. Notice: Some Property sold by Auctioneer are inherently dangerous e.g. firearms, cannons, and small items that may be swallowed or ingested or may have latent defects all of which may cause harm to a person. Purchaser accepts all risk of loss or damage from its purchase of these items and Auctioneer disclaims any liability whether under contract or tort for damages and losses, direct or consequential, and expressly disclaims any warranty as to safety or usage of any lot sold.

## **Dispute Resolution and Arbitration Provision:**

45. By placing a bid or otherwise participating in the auction, Bidder accepts these Terms and Conditions of Auction, and specifically agrees to the dispute resolution provided herein. Consumer disputes shall be resolved through court litigation which has an exclusive Dallas, Texas venue clause and jury waiver. Non-consumer dispute shall be determined in binding arbitration which arbitration replaces the right to go to court, including the right to a jury trial.

46. Auctioneer in no event shall be responsible for consequential damages, incidental damages, compensatory damages, or any other damages arising or claimed to be arising from the auction of any lot. In the event that Auctioneer cannot deliver the lot or subsequently it is established that the lot lacks title, or other transfer or condition issue is claimed, in such cases the sole remedy shall be limited to rescission of sale and refund of the amount paid by Bidder; in no case shall Auctioneer's maximum liability exceed the high bid on that lot, which bid shall be deemed for all purposes the value of the lot. After one year has elapsed, Auctioneer's maximum liability shall be limited to any commissions and fees Auctioneer earned on that lot.
47. In the event of an attribution error, Auctioneer may at its sole discretion, correct the error on the Internet, or, if discovered at a later date, to refund the buyer's purchase price without further obligation.
48. Dispute Resolution for Consumers and Non-Consumers: Any claim, dispute, or controversy in connection with, relating to and /or arising out of the Auction, participation in the Auction, award of lots, damages of claims to lots, descriptions, condition reports, provenance, estimates, return and warranty rights, any interpretation of these Terms and Conditions, any alleged verbal modification of these Terms and Conditions and/or any purported settlement whether asserted in contract, tort, under Federal or State statute or regulation shall or any other matter: a) if presented by a consumer, be exclusively heard by, and the parties consent to, exclusive in personam jurisdiction in the State District Courts of Dallas County, Texas. THE PARTIES EXPRESSLY WAIVE ANY RIGHT TO TRIAL BY JURY. Any appeals shall be solely pursued in the appellate courts of the State of Texas; or b) for any claimant other than a consumer, the claim shall be presented in confidential binding arbitration before a single arbitrator, that the parties may agree upon, selected from the JAMS list of Texas arbitrators. The case is not to be administered by JAMS; however, if the parties cannot agree on an arbitrator, then JAMS shall appoint the arbitrator and it shall be conducted under JAMS rules. The locale shall be Dallas Texas. The arbitrator's award may be enforced in any court of competent jurisdiction. Any party on any claim involving the purchase or sale of numismatic or related items may elect arbitration through binding PNG arbitration. Any claim must be brought within one (1) year of the alleged breach, default or misrepresentation or the claim is waived. This agreement and any claims shall be determined and construed under Texas law. The prevailing party (party that is awarded substantial and material relief on its claim or defense) may be awarded its reasonable attorneys' fees and costs.
49. No claims of any kind can be considered after the settlements have been made with the consignors. Any dispute after the settlement date is strictly between the Bidder and consignor without involvement or responsibility of the Auctioneer.
50. In consideration of their participation in or application for the Auction, a person or entity (whether the successful Bidder, a Bidder, a purchaser and/or other Auction participant or registrant) agrees that all disputes in any way relating to, arising under, connected with, or incidental to these Terms and Conditions and purchases, or default in payment thereof, shall be arbitrated pursuant to the arbitration provision. In the event that any matter including actions to compel arbitration, construe the agreement, actions in aid or arbitration or otherwise needs to be litigated, such litigation shall be exclusively in the Courts of the State of Texas, in Dallas County, Texas, and if necessary the corresponding appellate courts. For such actions, the successful Bidder, purchaser, or Auction participant also expressly submits himself to the personal jurisdiction of the State of Texas.
51. These Terms & Conditions provide specific remedies for occurrences in the auction and delivery process. Where such remedies are afforded, they shall be interpreted strictly. Bidder agrees that any claim shall utilize such remedies; Bidder making a claim in excess of those remedies provided in these Terms and Conditions agrees that in no case whatsoever shall Auctioneer's maximum liability exceed the high bid on that lot, which bid shall be deemed for all purposes the value of the lot.

## **Miscellaneous:**

52. Agreements between Bidders and consignors to effectuate a non-sale of an item at Auction, inhibit bidding on a consigned item to enter into a private sale agreement for said item, or to utilize the Auctioneer's Auction to obtain sales for non-selling consigned items subsequent to the Auction, are strictly prohibited. If a subsequent sale of a previously consigned item occurs in violation of this provision, Auctioneer reserves the right to charge Bidder the applicable Buyer's Premium and consignor a Seller's Commission as determined for each auction venue and by the terms of the seller's agreement.
53. Acceptance of these Terms and Conditions qualifies Bidder as a client who has consented to be contacted by Heritage in the future. In conformity with "do-not-call" regulations promulgated by the Federal or State regulatory agencies, participation by the Bidder is affirmative consent to being contacted at the phone number shown in his application and this consent shall remain in effect until it is revoked in writing. Heritage may from time to time contact Bidder concerning sale, purchase, and auction opportunities available through Heritage and its affiliates and subsidiaries.
54. Rules of Construction: Auctioneer presents properties in a number of collectible fields, and as such, specific venues have promulgated supplemental Terms and Conditions. Nothing herein shall be construed to waive the general Terms and Conditions of Auction by these additional rules and shall be construed to give force and effect to the rules in their entirety.

## **State Notices:**

Notice as to an Auction in California. Auctioneer has in compliance with Title 2.95 of the California Civil Code as amended October 11, 1993 Sec. 1812.600, posted with the California Secretary of State its bonds for it and its employees, and the auction is being conducted in compliance with Sec. 2338 of the Commercial Code and Sec. 535 of the Penal Code.

Notice as to an Auction in New York City. These Terms and Conditions of Sale are designed to conform to the applicable sections of the New York City Department of Consumer Affairs Rules and Regulations as Amended. This sale is a Public Auction Sale conducted by Heritage Auctioneers & Galleries, Inc. # 41513036. The New York City licensed auctioneers are: Sam Foose, #095260; Kathleen Guzman, #0762165; Nicholas Dawes, #1304724; Ed Beardsley, #1183220; Scott Peterson, #1306933; Andrea Voss, #1320558, who will conduct the Sale on behalf of itself and Heritage Numismatic Auctions, Inc. (for Coins) and Currency Auctions of America, Inc. (for currency). All lots are subject to: the consignor's rights to bid thereon in accord with these Terms and Conditions of Sale, consignor's option to receive advances on their consignments, and Auctioneer, in its sole discretion, may offer limited extended financing to registered bidders, in accord with Auctioneer's internal credit standards. A registered bidder may inquire whether a lot is subject to an advance or a reserve. Auctioneer has made advances to various consignors in this sale. On lots bearing an estimate, the term refers to a value range placed on an item by the Auctioneer in its sole opinion but the final price is determined by the bidders.

Notice as to an Auction in Texas. In compliance with TDLR rule 67.100(c)(1), notice is hereby provided that this auction is covered by a Recovery Fund administered by the Texas Department of Licensing and Regulation, P.O. Box 12157, Austin, Texas 78711 (512) 463-6599. Any complaints may be directed to the same address.

Notice as to an Auction in Ohio: Auction firm and Auctioneer are licensed by the Dept. of Agriculture, and either the licensee is bonded in favor of the state or an aggrieved person may initiate a claim against the auction recovery fund created in Section 4707.25 of the Revised Code as a result of the licensee's actions, whichever is applicable.

# Terms and Conditions of Auction

## Additional Terms & Conditions:

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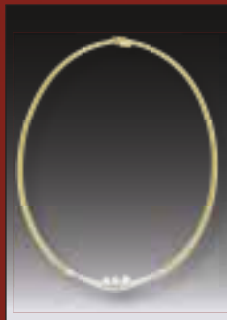
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U.S. Rare Coins	Schaumburg, IL	April 18-21, 2012	March 9, 2012
U.S. Rare Coins	Long Beach	May 30-June 2, 2012	March 9, 2012
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CICF Ancient Coins	Chicago	April 25, 2012	March 6, 2012
CICF World Coins	Chicago	April 26-28, 2012	March 6, 2012
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Decorative Arts	Dallas	June 14, 2012	April 7, 2012
20th Century Design	Dallas	June 13, 2012	April 11, 2012
The Estate Auction	Dallas	September 10, 2012	July 8, 2012
California Art	Beverly Hills	October 9, 2012	August 2, 2012
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